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THE WEATHER.

Time of sunrise today.....7:22 a. m.
Time of sunset today.....4:57 p. m.

Daily report for yesterday furnished by the United States weather bureau:

Time.	Bar.	Temp.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m....	30.17	20	78	S. W.	Cloudy
8 p. m....	29.99	31	49	S. W.	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for January 14:

	1901	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	44	40	62	32	35	26
Minimum	31	34	44	36	26	20
Mean	38	42	56	39	30	23
Precipitation	.08	.02	.27	.02	T.	T.

Maximum temperature (4:30 p. m.)..... 35
Minimum temperature (12 midnight)..... 18
Mean temperature 26
Normal temperature (for 31 years)..... 30
Deficiency in the temperature for the day.. 4
Excess in the temperature (first month).. 16
Excess in the temperature since Jan 1..... 10
Normal precipitation (for 31 years)..... .16
Precipitation for the day..... .00
Deficiency in the precipitation for day.... .19
Deficiency in the precipitation since Jan 1..1.22
Deficiency in the precipitation since Jan 1..1.22

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday—For Ohio and Western Pennsylvania—Fair in south, partly cloudy in northern portion Wednesday and Thursday; fresh southwesterly winds.

West Virginia—Fair Wednesday and Thursday; southerly to westerly winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Pittsburgh	30 Clear	Norfolk	58 Clear
Columbus	34 Clear	Philadelphia	30 Clear
Parkersb'g	34 Clear	New York	30 Cloudy
Washington	32 Clear	Buffalo	30 Clear
Cincinnati	40 Clear	Jacksonville	44 Clear
Indianapolis	36 Clear	N. Orleans	48 Cloudy
Cairo	44 Clear	Denver	52 Clear
St. Louis	48 Clear	Salt Lake	36 Clear
Oklahoma	50 Pt. Cly	Omaha	40 Clear
Kansas City	48 Clear	Dodge City	46 Pt. Cly
Chicago	34 Cloudy	Cleveland	30 Clear
Des Moines	34 Clear	Marquette	28 Cloudy
Grnd Haven	34 Clear	St. Paul	28 Pt. Cly
Vicksburg	46 Pt. Cly	Helena	42 Pt. Cly
Memphis	46 Clear	Bismarck	32 Cloudy
Louisville	42 Clear	Rapid City	40 Clear
Chattanooga	40 Clear	Calgary	30 Clear
Nashville	42 Clear	Qu Appelle	30 Clear
Atlanta	40 Clear		

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—"The Rogers Brothers in Washington, 2 and 8 p. m.

GRAND—"Brother Officers," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

DUQUESNE—Vaudeville, 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—Andrew Mack in "Tom Moore," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

EMPIRE—"Pennsylvania," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

ACADEMY—Fred Irwin's Big Show, 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—John and Fanny Davidson, Fancy Skating, evening. Hockey, Shadyside vs. East Liberty, afternoon.

HANNA LEADER FOR FAIR PLAY ON THE CANAL

Forces Morgan's Senate Committee to Postpone Action Until After Isthmian Commission Considers Panama Offer.

GIVES SOME PLAIN TALK ON BUSINESS PRINCIPLES

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]
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WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 14.—Senator Hanna dropped all reserve today and leaped to the front as the leader of the opposition to Senator Morgan's plan to hurry the Nicaragua canal bill through the senate before full consideration could be given to the offer of the Panama Canal Company to sell for $40,000,000.

The committee on interoceanic canals held a meeting. Senator Morgan, chairman of the committee, who refuses to take anything but a hostile view of the Panama offer, showed a disposition to immediately report to the senate the Hepburn Nicaragua canal bill.

Senator Hanna, who has not had much to say in the committee, broke forth with a very emphatic protest. He said the committee should wait until the isthmian canal commission had an opportunity to meet and make a supplemental report, if it desired to do so, dealing with conditions which had changed since the Panama Canal Company had made a drop of $69,000,000 in its selling price.

Hanna's Veracity Questioned.

He said the president had asked that the commission be reassembled so that it could consider the new offer on its merits.

Senator Morgan appeared to question Senator Hanna's veracity, and this did not add to harmony in the committee. Senator Morgan said he would be willing to wait until the committee could ascertain whether the president had requested Admiral Walker to reconvene the canal commission.

Senator Hanna and other members of the committee, including those who opposed the Panama offer, then indulged in some very plain talk. Senator Hanna said that, as a Republican senator, he had certain obligations to the country to observe, and the Republican party had responsibilities in this matter to which it would be held to strict account by the public. He intended to treat this whole proposition as a great big matter of business. He was in favor of an isthmian canal.

He was not ready to say that he was opposed to Nicaragua, nor that he would favor Panama. What he wanted was a careful consideration of this question, in view of the offer of the French company to sell for $40,000,000, which, if accepted, might give the country a much better canal, and, certainly, a cheaper one in construction and maintenance.

Warming to the subject, Senator Hanna said very plainly that the committee could make much more haste by considering the question fully before making its report to the senate than by hurriedly acting now. This was a plain intimation from Senator Hanna that if the committee did not proceed with more deliberation he would compel the consideration on the floor of the senate. He went even further than this, and told the committee that there would be a minority report unless more time is taken.

Adjourned Until Friday.

Other members of the committee who are in favor of the canal said they were in favor of giving more time, and Senator Morgan consented to the adjournment of the committee until next Friday. He may have been prompted to this course by the fact that two of his supporters, Senators Hawley and Platt of New York did not attend today's meeting.

The adjournment of the committee will at least give the isthmian canal commission time to hold one session. The date for its reassambling has been changed to next Thursday. Rear Admiral Walker is absent from the city today, and it is understood that he is in New York consulting with the officers of the Panama Railroad Company. The object of this consultation is to ascertain the price that the stockholders in the railroad, other than the canal company, will dispose of their shares. The canal company owns 68,500 of the 70,000 shares, and the commission proposed, if the government buys the Panama canal, to pay the company par for this stock, or $6,850,000.

PROPOSED $1000,000. BOND ISSUE
THE BURDEN OF TAXATION
OWNER OF HOUSE AND LOT. TAXATION-AS ABOVE
OWNER OF FRANCHISES WORTH MILLIONS
TAXATION-NOTHING
THE PHILADELPHIA CO.

The Above Lovely (?) System is Subject to the Approval of the Voters at the February Election.

CARNEGIE ADMITS THAT HE HAS MORE THAN A COMPETENCE

Philanthropist Tells Young Men That They Should Lay by Something for a Rainy Day.

WEALTH NOT DESIRABLE

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The 26th anniversary of the railroad branch of the Young Men's Christian association was celebrated in this city tonight. Andrew Carnegie was the principal speaker.

Mr. Carnegie referred to his experience in the railroad service as a telegraph operator and later as superintendent of the Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania railroad. In discussing wealth and its uses he employed these expressions:

"The best of wealth is not what it does for the owner, but what it enables him to do for others.

"And let me tell you there is nothing in money beyond having a competence; nothing but the satisfaction of being able to help others."

Employment for Everybody.

It is one of the most cheering facts of our days that under present conditions the wages of labor tend to rise and the price of necessaries of life to fall. There was never a nation so splendidly situated as ours is at this moment in regard to labor. Every sober and capable and willing man finds employment at wages which, with thrift and a good wife to manage, will enable him to go far toward laying by to a competence for old age. There is nothing that success and happiness of a workingman so much depends upon as a good managing wife. And here let one who has, almost without intention or desire, had himself loaded with somewhat more than a competence, tell you soberly that what one has beyond this brings little with it, and sometimes nothing desirable with it. What all of you should strive for is a competence without which Junius has said no man can be happy.

Young Persons Should Save.

No man should be happy without it, if it be within reach, and I urge all of you to save a part of your earnings these prosperous days and put it in savings banks at interest, or better still, buy a home with it."

Mr. Carnegie predicted that in the near future railroad trains will run 100 miles an hour, and on this point he said:

In the improvements made today on the various lines I don't think many managers are looking far enough ahead. They are spending to some tens perhaps half a million dollars where they ought to spend double, and easing the curves which they should abolish, and some future president is to find it out to a good deal of money. Nothing but a straight line will be up to date in 1950, or before that.

The speaker commended the care some railroads are giving their employes and lauded the pension system and the reading and club rooms which some roads are establishing. He said these benefited shareholders as well as workmen, and added:

"It is a great delusion to say that capital and labor are foes; they must be allies or neither succeeds."

PLUNGER PHILLIPS ONCE MORE FORCED BACK TO THE WALL

Notice Posted at Board of Trade Calling for Closing of All Open Deals Made With Him.

MAN'S METEORIC CAREER

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—For the second time George H. Phillips, the young "corn king," finds himself in financial straits. A notice was posted at the opening of the board of trade today calling for the closing of all open deals with him.

George H. Phillips' career on the board of trade during the last two years has been such as to keep him most of the time in the public eye. A clerk originally for one of the large commission houses, he finally branched out as a broker and member of the board, and in the early summer of 1900 began to attract attention when it became evident that he was engineering a corner in corn. A young man, he had the old-timers of the corn pit hard up against the wall before they realized the fact, and for months he had them at his mercy.

Causes of First Failure.

Careless bookkeeping and the fact that some of his partners became submerged with private deals resulted in the firm's asking for a receiver in August, 1901, and the affairs of the old George H. Phillips Company were wound up.

It was only recently that Mr. Phillips started anew, backed by many of his old customers who had implicit faith in his honesty and ability. About November 15 Phillips thought he saw an opening for a corner in rye, and since that time he has been steadily taking on a line of this commodity. The slump in prices early this week was so great, however, that he was unable to carry the margins, and went under, carrying a large number of customers with him.

Phillips and his associates say the suspension, or failure, is due to the drastic treatment he received at the hands of the board members with whom he was dealing. They kept within the rules, but the margin calls, he says, were unusual.

About the board Phillips is now believed to be "broke." Whether he will rise again is a question.

Present Situation Explained.

Jacob Ringer, attorney for Mr. Phillips, gave out a statement saying that his client had been practically wiped off the financial slate.

"He is 'broke,'" said Mr. Ringer. "Men whom he worsted in former deals went after him, and 'they got him.'"

Mr. Phillips said in a statement:

The amount involved in my trouble of today is about $60,000. My customers had their trades well margined, and if the trades closed out today bring a fair price. I can meet all my obligations. I was 'long' about 1,200,000 bushels rye, 5,000,000 wheat and 600,000 corn and oats. Saturday a member of the board interested in breaking the rye market sent notices calling for an extra margin of 10 per cent on rye. This naturally caused selling orders Monday, and the representative of the member mentioned, finding the market bare of orders, forced the market down 3 cents. This was done in a moment, and the news, flashed all over the country, caused consternation among holders of rye contracts, many of whom sold on a weak market. I was for the moment unprepared, and the only alternative left was to close out.

The branches of George H. Phillips in Omaha and Council Bluffs, Des Moines and Sioux City were closed today as a result of the embarrassment of the Chicago house.

MR. SCHWAB DENIES GAMBLING STORIES

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—the following cable dispatch from Charles M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel Corporation, is self-explanatory:

"NICE, Jan. 14.

"To the Associated Press, New York:

"I have today learned of the sensational statements regarding gambling at Monte Carlo. I have been on an automobiling trip through the south of France with a party of friends. I did visit the casino at Monte Carlo, but the statements of sensational gambling are false.

"SCHWAB."

THE POPE FAINTS.

Prostrated During an Audience, but Soon Recovers.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The Rome correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says that while the pope was granting an audience to American pilgrims last Monday he was taken with a fainting fit just as he was about to address them.

The pontificals conveyed him to his apartments, where he soon recovered.

THE SCHLEY CASE WILL BE SETTLED WITHIN 48 HOURS

Unless Present Plans Are Changed, President Roosevelt Will Spring a Surprise.

SHORT CUT TO DECISION

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 14.—President Roosevelt will, unless he changes his present plan, dispose of the appeal of Rear Admiral W. S. Schley within 48 hours. His action, he is confident, will definitely settle the naval controversy.

In making such prompt disposition of the appeal of the rear admiral, Mr. Roosevelt will spring a surprise, not only upon the appellant but upon the navy department. Secretary Long had expected that the president would await the receipt of the brief which Rear Admiral Schley's counsel is now preparing. Rear Admiral Schley has gone south, believing that the president will do nothing in his case until the presentation of the document on January 20.

According to officials outside of the navy department who claim to have knowledge of the president's course, Mr. Roosevelt has been priming himself for action ever since Rear Admiral Schley appeared at the White House. He immediately sent for a copy of the testimony adduced during the investigation by the court of inquiry. He also obtained other information concerning the views of the captains of the fleets immediately after the battle of Santiago. He has talked with Capt. Clark, who commanded the Oregon; Rear Admiral Taylor, who commanded the Indiana; Rear Admiral Evans, who commanded the Iowa, and Mr. Graham, the press correspondent, who was on board the Brooklyn. From the lips of Rear Admiral Schley he heard that officer's defense.

When he began his investigation Mr. Roosevelt brushed aside all previous opinions he had entertained. As far as possible he placed his mind in a condition to fairly consider the facts which he hoped to develop. He has not consulted Secretary Long or any other official of the navy department, because he wanted to make a decision which would be accepted by the country as his own. The president has about satisfied himself as to the character of the conduct of Rear Admiral Schley during the war with Spain. He is allowing no inkling of his opinion to get out, and nothing will be made public until his action is announced.

THREE WORKMEN KILLED.

Ropes Supporting a High Scaffold Broke, Precipitating Them to the Bottom of Grain Bin.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Two men were killed and a third seriously injured by the breaking of a scaffold in the Rialto elevator at One Hundred and Fourth street and the Calumet river today. The men were iron workers and were working inside a steel grain bin.

One of the men heard a creaking of the ropes and fearing that the scaffold would fall shouted a warning. His companions jumped for the ropes, but too late. The dead are: Matthew Martin and Patrick Hanrahan; the injured, Frank Hallanberg.

TWO COUNTIES ARE AGAINST E. F. ACHESON

Beaver and Lawrence Wish to Defeat His Nomination.

J. H. CUNNINGHAM MAY BE LEADER

The indications are that Beaver and Lawrence are to combine to defeat the nomination of Ernest F. Acheson for congressman in the twenty-fourth district. Senator M. S. Quay is said to have selected J. H. Cunningham of Beaver to make the fight. The senator is expected home in a few days to map out the plan of campaign.

While it may be possible to defeat the re-election of Acheson, friends of the Washington county man claim that the victory will cost the state organization the three members from Washington and the senator from the Beaver-Washington district.

The last legislature put Washington, Beaver and Lawrence in the same congressional district for the express purpose of keeping Acheson out of congress. He refuses to quit without a fight and is willing to make that fight just as ugly as he knows how.

Met in This City.

Representatives of the three counties met at the Monongahela house yesterday to agree upon a plan of nominating a congressman. As the Washington Republican committee has never given its county chairman power to make agreements with other counties, nothing can be done until the Washington committee meets. This will occur within the next ten days. Then Chairman W. F. Penn will call a meeting for the representatives of the three county organizations.

At the meeting yesterday John B. Brown, chairman of the Lawrence county committee, presided, and Chairman W. F. Penn of Washington was secretary. Beaver was represented by ex-Judge M. M. Mechlin, S. F. Stone and J. H. Cunningham; Lawrence by John B. Brown, T. S. Rhoades and W. D. Clark; Washington by W. S. Parker, George E. Lockhart and W. F. Penn. The prospective congressional candidates present were Mr. Acheson, Mr. Cunningham, Judge Mechlin and ex-Senator William M. Brown of Lawrence.

Conferee System Wanted.

Beaver agrees to abide by any plan that a majority of the representatives of the district agree upon. In making this proposition Beaver expects that Lawrence will not accept any plan that Acheson wants. Beaver prefers the conferee system. Acheson says that he will never consent to this method. He wants delegates elected in proportion to the vote polled for the Republican candidate for president. Under this scheme his nomination

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PITTSBURGH MAY BE LONG WITHOUT ANY CATHEDRAL

Completion of St. Paul's Will Be a Matter of Ten or Twelve Years at Least.

SITE IS STILL IN DOUBT

Pittsburgh bids fair to be without a cathedral for at least a decade. The time is fast approaching when St. Paul's will be turned over to its new owner, Henry C. Frick, and it will be at least 10 or 12 years before its successor will be completed. Bishop Phelan and his advisers, while they have decided to follow the lines of the present structure, mean to make the new building one of the finest specimens of sacred architecture in the United States. This purpose does not even except St. Patrick's in New York. Many of America's finest draughtsmen have already signified their wish to draw the plans for the building.

Bishop Phelan and his conferees are going slowly in their consideration of the plans for the new cathedral. They have determined that before the first shovelful of earth for the excavation is turned every detail of the building shall be complete. They mean to know also to a penny what the building will cost.

St. Paul's was in use for years before it was finished and consecrated. This will not be the case with the new pile. It will be consecrated before the first mass is said in it.

Bishop Phelan's intention to appeal to Rome for a coadjutor has a close relation to the building of the new cathedral. With its completion he will lay down the burden of his diocesan labors. He wants a coadjutor so that he may devote his time to the plans for the new church.

Where the new structure will be built is still a question that is bothering the bishop and his advisers. It is now positively stated that it will not be in Bellefield, where a site has been purchased. This property is again on the market. It will, in all probability, soon find a new owner, for it is most desirable.

Two reasons are advanced for disposing of it. It is too near a certain place of public recreation and is in a region that bids fair to become a business center within a few years.

SOUTHERN DELEGATE SHOT COLORED PORTER.

Bricklayers' Representative Says He Was Insulted and Put Two Bullets in Edward Grimes.

Edward Grimes, aged 21 years, colored, a porter at the St. Charles hotel, Third avenue and Wood street, was shot at 2:20 o'clock this morning by Nicholas C. Redford, a guest of the house. Redford, who is 29 years old, is a delegate to the Bricklayers' convention from Richmond, Va. Early this morning he rang for a porter and Grimes responded.

According to the story told by Redford at Central station the porter insulted him and he jumped from his bed. After striking the porter he secured his revolver and shot twice. One ball entered the left leg and the other penetrated the right hand. Grimes was taken to the Homeopathic hospital. His injuries are not thought to be serious.

FORAKER AGAIN HONORED BY THE BUCKEYE STATE

Aggressive Ohioan Will Sit in the Councils of the Nation Another Six Years—Arthur Pue Gorman Is Maryland's Choice.

JAMES B. M'CREARY MAKES WINNING FIGHT IN KENTUCKY

United States senators were elected yesterday in three states—Ohio, Maryland and Kentucky. In the Buckeye state, Joseph B. Foraker, Republican, was elected to succeed himself; in the Blue Grass state, James B. McCreary, Democrat, was elected to succeed William J. Deboe, the present Republican senator; in Maryland, Arthur Pue Gorman, Democrat, has been elected to succeed George L. Wellington, Republican. Mr. Gorman re-entera the senate after four years' absence.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 14.—In the house and senate today separate ballots were taken for United States senator, and tomorrow the houses will meet in joint session and complete the election of Hon. Joseph Benson Foraker to succeed himself in the United States senate.

As there was no doubt of the results of the ballots the work of the day did not take long. In the senate the name of Senator Foraker was presented by Warren G. Harding of Marion, and that of the Hon. Charles W. Baker of Cincinnati, the Democratic nominee, by Senator Royer of Tiffin. Several seconding speeches were made and on a call of the roll Foraker received 21 votes and Baker 12.

In the house the proceedings were the same. The Hon. Frank B. Willis of Harding county presented the name of Forsker, while that of Baker was put forth by the Hon. C. L. Brumbaugh of Greenville. On roll call Senator Foraker received 66 votes and Baker 42.

Complete Harmony Reigns.

In both houses the Republican speakers declared that in two years from the present time a similar ceremony would be in process of enactment on the floor of the legislature, only that it would be Marcus A. Hanna whom they would be electing. Every speech breathed an air of harmony, and it seemed as though all the hard feeling of the bitter contest for the organization has passed away.

Senator Foraker arrived in Columbus tonight and will address the joint session tomorrow after the ballot. The senator says that all the bitterness of the contest over the organization has passed away and all Republicans are friends again.

This legislature will adjourn tomorrow until next Monday when the speaker will hand down his committees and the real business of the session will begin.

Triumph of Gorman.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., Jan. 14.—Former United States Senator Arthur Pue Gorman was today re-elected to occupy the place in the senate which he lost in the general elections four years ago and regained in November last. He received every Democratic vote in both branches of the general assembly, the only absentee in either branch being Representative Smoot, a Republican from Charles county. Congressman William H. Jackson was the Republican senatorial nominee.

The vote was as follows: In the senate, Gorman, 37; Jackson, 9. In the house, Gorman, 51; Jackson, 42.

Mr. Gorman will take his seat in March, 1903, when Senator George L. Wellington will retire.

Vandiver Elected Treasurer.

The house and senate proceeded at 1 p. m. to vote for state treasurer. The vote was by ballot and was only taken after a sharp skirmish led by Isaac Lobe Straus of Baltimore city, who was bitterly opposed to the re-election of Gov. Murray Vandiver, the present incumbent, and the nominee of the Democratic state convention. The Republican nominee was Gen. Thomas J. Shryock, who preceded Gen. Vandiver as state treasurer.

The ballot resulted as follows: Vandiver, Democrat, 63; Shryock, Republican, 56; Thomas, Democrat, 1. Two Republicans voted for Vandiver.

FRANKFORT, KY., Jan. 14.—James B. McCreary was formally elected United States senator by the two houses of the legislature today in separate sessions. The vote will be ratified in joint session tomorrow. The vote in the house stood: McCreary, 71; Deboe, 26. In the senate: McCreary, 23; Deboe, 11.

EPIDEMIC OF CRIME MAKES BUSY DAY FOR MORGUES AND JAILS

Four Prominent Men Slay Themselves by Means of Rope and Pistol. Two Wife Murders.

SAFE CRACKERS ARE BUSY

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Policeman William H. Ennis of Brooklyn killed his wife and fatally wounded her mother at the home of the latter here today. Ennis had been separated from his wife. Today he went to the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Alice Gorman, with whom his wife was stopping. Breaking open the door, he proceeded to his wife's apartments, shot her through the heart, and when Mrs. Gorman appeared on the scene, he fired at her, inflicting a fatal wound. Ennis was arrested several hours after the shooting.

DETROIT, MICH., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—John Bilsett of this city, who has been employed at Cleveland several months, returned to Detroit today and made an assault upon his wife which the physicians say will result in her death. Bilsett went to his wife's home in Beech street and immediately attacked her.

Interrupted by Police.

He fired three shots at her, one of which ploughed a furrow along her skull, fracturing it. He then beat her into insensibility, poured kerosene over the piano, and was about to fire the house when the police interrupted him. The injured woman was removed to Grace hospital, where her death is expected at any moment.

PORT TOWNSEND, WASH., Jan. 14.—A third headless body has been found on the shore of Whidby island, where it had been, apparently, washed up by the sea. It is believed that murders have been committed in numbers up the coast and that the victims have been decapitated to prevent identification.

Quartet of Suicides.

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 14.—George B. Anderson, one of the proprietors of a large department store at Portsmouth, O., was found dead in his room at the Palace hotel here today. He had evidently stood before the mirror and shot himself. He left no note or letter to explain his action.

BURLINGTON, N. J., Jan. 14.—Harry R. Sharp, a prominent jeweler, committed suicide today by shooting himself. It is said financial reverses were the cause.

WATERVILLE, ME., Jan. 14.—Floyd C. Dillingham, a member of the Maine house of representatives from the town of St. Albans, committed suicide by hanging during last night. Representative Dillingham had been despondent for some time. He was 30 years of age.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 14.—Dr. Nicholas Timans, a well-known physician, committed suicide today in his office by shooting himself. It is believed that the recent loss of his wife made him despondent.

Bank Robbers Make Good Hauls.

BUTLER, GA., Jan. 14.—The Bank of Butler was robbed early today of $2,000 in cash. Dynamite was used to blow open the vault. The burglars escaped.

GUTHRIE, OKLA., Jan. 14.—The Peoples bank at North Enid was robbed early this morning of $2,500, the safe being blown open with dynamite. There is no clue to the identity of the robbers.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Wallace Higgins of Olney, Ill., was arrested here today, charged with embezzling $1,500 of public funds while serving as sheriff in his home county.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 14.—Charles Graedert of Leadville, Col., was arrested in Orston, Camden county, N. J., today, charged with embezzling $1,800 from the A. O. U. W., of which organization he was an officer.

DIRECTORS CHOOSE A NEW HEAD FOR SOUTHSIDE HOSPITAL

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PAY YOUR TAXES AND CAST YOUR VOTE.

All taxes must be paid on or before next Saturday. That is the last day on which a tax receipt can be issued that will qualify a citizen to vote at the February city election. Voters will do well to give their immediate attention to this, for the law says no man can vote who has not paid a state or county tax within two years and at least thirty days before election day.

THREE UNITED STATES SENATORS-ELECT.

Hon. Arthur P. Gorman of Maryland.

Joseph B. Foraker of Ohio.

James B. McCleary of Kentucky.

THE PHILIPPINE MATTER STIRRED UP BY MR. HOAR

Reopens a Controversy Which Is Likely to Disturb the Senate Again.

HIS COLLEAGUE OBJECTS

Senator Lodge Claims for His Committee Jurisdiction Which Mr. Hoar Would Take Away — Lawton's Letter on Antis' Literature.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 14.—For the first time this session the Philippine question was today touched on in the senate. The interest taken indicates that it will occupy the attention of the upper branch of congress for some time when the tariff bill is reported.

The Philippines were the subject of an address by Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts, who spoke on his resolution, introduced yesterday, providing for the appointment of a senate committee to investigate the administration of those islands. Mr. Hoar spoke at some length regarding the unreliability of statements which have been made from time to time regarding the situation in the Philippines and the causes which led to the outbreak.

Wants Means of Knowing the Truth.

"During the civil war, he said, there was a committee which reported upon their responsibility the facts which were needed for the senate and for the country. There are many things about which the public has been in doubt, as for instance, the statement appearing in the public press and twice made in the senate that Aguinaldo had sold out his countrymen.

"We want to know who promised the Filipinos independence," he insisted.

"I do not know of any one able to give a statement of the truth as to the differences between Governor Taft and General Chaffee," said the senator. "I get some dreadful stories from brave soldiers and officers of high rank about the manner in which the war is conducted. I have heard of an investigation now going on in regard to one transaction, which, if true, has covered with a foul blot the flag which we all love and honor." I think there should be a place where any senator who makes such a suggestion in his official responsibility can go and say, 'I want two witnesses on that subject brought here,' and then we shall know."

Referred to Lawton's Letter.

He said he has been taunted by newspapers for three or four years with a statement attributed to Gen. Lawton that if certain people at home would hold their tongues there would not be any difficulty with the islands, but what the general is understood to have said was that we should "stop this accursed war; it is time for diplomacy, time for mutual understanding."

There is no one, Mr. Hoar declared, who can tell whether Gen. Lawton said that or whether it is a forgery, or whether he said the other, or it is a forgery.

Hoar's Colleague Objects.

Mr. Lodge, Mr. Hoar's colleague, said he regarded the resolution as a reflection on the Philippine committee, of which he was the chairman, and the necessity for the latter would cease were this resolution to be adopted. His committee, he said, is perfectly able to handle any investigation which might be conducted. Mr. Carmack (Dem.) agreed with him.

The discussion was leading rapidly to a reopening of the whole Philippine question, when it was agreed that the resolution should go over until tomorrow.

Mr. Mason of Illinois made a speech in favor of reciprocity with Cuba and discussed the protective policy generally.

Lawton's Letter Reproduced.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Jan. 14.—The letter from Gen. H. W. Lawton, to which Senator Hoar referred in his speech in the senate today, was written by John Barrett, ex-minister to Siam. When Gen. Lawton was killed Mr. Barrett thought Mrs. Lawton would value the letter highly and sent it to her. Mrs. Lawton, who lives in a suburb of Louisville, gave the letter to the press. It says, among other things:

"I agree with you that mistakes have been made here, but I would to God that the whole truth of this whole Philippine situation could be known to everyone in America. I wish our people could know it as I know it, and you know it, for I regard you as the best informed and most impartial authority on all these Asiatic questions. I think the president made a mistake in not naming you a member of the Philippine commission.

"You are right. Some of us have modified our views since we first came, and these so-called anti-imperialists of Boston would honestly ascertain the truth on the ground here, and not in distant America, they, which I dislike to believe to be other than honest when misinformed, would be convinced of the error of their exaggerated statements and conclusions and of the evil and unfortunate effect of their public actions here.

"It is kind of you to caution me about exposure under fire, but if I am shot by a Filipino bullet it might as well be from the gun of my own men. These are strong words, and yet I say them because I know from my own observation combined with the stories of captured Filipino prisoners, that the comparative immunity of nothing is chiefly due to reports that are sent out from America and circulated among these ignorant natives by the leaders who know better.

"This letter, which, of course, is strictly personal, does not answer all your questions, but it is a long one for me, as I want to encourage you in your labors to make the truth known."

MYSTERIOUS DEATH OF TWO CHILDREN

Hazelwood Physician Says That Poison Is Responsible — Family Fear for a Third Child.

Two children of David Klingener of Forward avenue, near the high bridge, have mysteriously died of what has been pronounced poison. How they received the poison is not known and both Klingener and his wife are nearly frantic.

Klingener is employed at the Eliza furnaces in Second avenue. Last Friday morning when he returned home from his night's work he found that his 10-year-old boy had been sick all night and that his sickness had baffled all attempts of the mother to relieve him.

Klingener went to Hazelwood and told a physician whom he says is named Mc-Clelland, of the condition of his child. The doctor gave him a prescription which he had filled and when he returned home he gave the boy one dose. The boy was so much worse that he started again for the doctor. When he returned home with the physician the boy was dead.

Klingener told a friend yesterday that he had to report the case to the coroner because no doctor had attended the boy. Deputy Coroner William J. Becker stated last night that the case had not been reported to the coroner.

Yesterday morning a 4-year-old daughter of Klingener died in the same way. The child was taken sick at about the same time at night and died at the same time in the morning. In the latter death Dr. McClelland was present and he pronounced it unmistakably poison.

The boy had been attending school and the parents thought that possibly he had eaten something away from home that made him sick. They are utterly unable to account for the poisoning of the little girl. They have one more child, a boy of about 8 years, and are afraid that he, too, may be taken from them.

For Over Sixty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children while teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

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J. C. Bartlett Co., 932-934 Liberty st. 13rpww

SUB-DISTRICT IDEA AN UNPOPULAR ONE

MINERS DO NOT WISH TO FORM SMALLER DIVISIONS.

It Is Expected That the Resolution Which Was Discussed Freely at Yesterday's Session of the Convention Will Be Voted Down Today.

When the Pittsburgh miners' convention closed yesterday afternoon a spirited discussion was on in relation to the proposition to create sub-districts in the Pittsburgh fields. This matter will be voted on this morning, and it is expected that it will be voted down. Leaders of the Pittsburgh district hold that the bit-

WILLIAM DODDS,
Secretary Treasurer of the Pittsburgh District Miners, Whose Re-Election is Expected to Be Announced Today.

minous fields of the state, the Pittsburgh and Central Pennsylvania fields, should first form a state bituminous organization and then the sub-districting would more logically follow.

Partly through a misunderstanding of the intent and partly because a contingent of the Pittsburgh organization is firm in the conviction that sub-districts should be created to facilitate the transaction of business affecting only one of the component fields of the district, the discussion was prolonged. The resolution was presented by Fayette City local No. 248 and declared for three sub-districts.

An Advance Asked.

Another resolution, which will probably have much bearing in the final action of the convention, was reported favorably by the committee on resolutions and was referred by it to the scale committee, which has not yet been selected. It proposes a demand for an advance of 6½ cents a ton on the price of machine mining. The present price is 43 cents. A resolution asking for a Saturday half-holiday was voted down by a large majority because it would conflict with the existing agreements providing for the eight-hour day.

Check-Off System Advocated.

Montour Run local, No. 1898, demanded the check-off system, declaring that this is the only means of preventing the disintegration of locals. This was adopted and is expected to be an issue in the settlement of the interstate scale agreement at the joint session of operators at Indianapolis. A resolution, providing for the creation of a sick and accident fund was tabled. A resolution that only inside men of the mines be eligible for election as check-weighmen was passed without action, because this is an existing unwritten rule of the organization.

Want Extra Work Done.

During the discussion of the proposition to create sub-districts a delegate from the West Penn railroad field appealed to have the organization do extra organization work in that and the Allegheny Valley field. He said that the lower rates paid in these fields would be a barrier to the closing of a satisfactory district agreement. The convention has seven delegates from these fields.

The committee on constitution reported that all matters placed before it should be handled by the committee on resolutions, and the report was concurred in. Vice President Urian Bellingham, acting as chairman, appointed James Greenhalgh of Venetia, E. C. Williams of Borland and George Dagger of Shire Oaks as a committee on appeals and grievances.

Delegates Photographed.

After this the delegates were photographed on the Second avenue side of Moorehead hall, in which the convention is held. Secretary Samuel Harper of the Hospital Saturday and Sunday association presented his report, which was accepted. The miners contribute to the support of this association, which provides for hospital care of worthy workmen.

The tellers have nearly completed their work. The tabulation of ballots is completed, but it is said that the summary has not yet been made. A report announcing the successful candidates may be made before the close of the sessions today. It is expected that the present district officers and executive board members will be re-elected, and that William Dodds will be made the Pittsburgh member of the national executive board, and Thomas Sheehan an additional member of the district board in the place of William Little.

MORE MONEY NEEDED.

Nearly $6,000 Still Lacking to Provide for Boys' Industrial Home.

The board of the Boys' Industrial Home of Western Pennsylvania held a meeting yesterday in the Dispensary building.

Superintendent Cleland reported that everything was moving along in a satisfactory manner at the new Oakdale home. A school has been opened in the building, the books having been donated by Postmaster Holliday.

The report of the finance committee showed that the appeal to the public for funds has already met with a generous response, nearly $4,000 having been subscribed. The board needs $6,000 more to complete the new building and provide funds for the industrial department.

Charles F. Dean of the Union National bank, the treasurer of the board, is the person designated to receive subscriptions.

NOT YET MATCHED.

Thomas W. Lawson's Representative Failed to Appear.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The meeting which it had been expected would be held here today to arrange a fresh go at a meeting between John J. Scannell's The Abbot, T. W. Lawson's Boraima and E. E. Smathers' Lord Derby was not held. The representative of T. W. Lawson, who it was understood was on his way from Boston, did not arrive. It was said he might arrive here tomorrow, or that Mr. Lawson might make his arrangement with the others interested by mail.

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Commencing Wednesday, Jan. 15, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will place in service between Pittsburgh and New York, on the Pittsburgh Limited, leaving Pittsburgh at 10 p. m. daily, a luxurious Compartment Sleeping Car. Single passengers desiring the use of an entire stateroom will be required to surrender one and one-half passage tickets in addition to the regular Pullman fare.

LIKE A COUNTRY TOWN, SAYS THE FIRE MARSHAL

William D. McGill Makes Some Caustic Criticisms on Pittsburgh.

MORE FIRE PLUGS NEEDED

Another Conference Held in the Recorder's Office and the Needs of the Downtown Section Are Discussed—The Cost of Betterment.

The sub-committee on water supply and distribution and extension of water mains met yesterday afternoon in the office of Recorder J. O. Brown. Besides Recorder Brown Director J. Guy McCandless of the department of public works, Supt. A. B. Shepherd of the bureau of water supply and distribution, Fire Marshal W. D. McGill and Capt. W. F. Herbert were present.

Plans for the extension of the city water mains were further discussed and Supt. Shepherd submitted an estimate he had made on the probable cost. The exact amount of the estimate was not made public, but it is understood to have been something over $1,000,000, to include repiping practically the whole city, with considerable extension of the present system.

Wishes Will Be Followed.

Fire Marshal McGill stated after the meeting that he had every reason to believe that the wishes of the board of fire underwriters in regard to the repiping of the downtown district would be followed. He estimates the cost of the new pipes at between $300,000 and $400,000. This means 20-inch mains on all the principal streets in the business section of the city, with 12-inch mains on cross streets. These large pipes will replace 8-inch mains on the principal streets and 6-inch mains on important cross streets, such as Wood street.

The fire marshal is also determined to have more water plugs put in. At present most of the corners have only one plug, while some few have two. There are also very few streets that have plugs between the corners. The changes contemplated mean four fire plugs at corners, with at least one plug between corners and at alleyways.

Want Mains Relaid.

The board of fire underwriters is making its principal requests for the repiping of the business section of the city. However, the plans of the sub-committee include the relaying of mains over practically the entire city. A large main will be laid to the Squirrel Hill district, which now has very inadequate fire protection.

Fire Marshal McGill said yesterday that nearly all of the fire insurance companies doing business in Pittsburgh had been losing money for some years, partly on account of the insufficient water supply, and that it must be stopped.

"Unless the changes advocated by this office are made," he said, "I believe that many of the companies will stop doing business here. For the past year conditions have not been so bad, because there were fewer fires. We have had an arrangement with the captains of different fire companies whereby their men report to this office any dirty or dangerous conditions in buildings.

System Now Inadequate.

"We can then have such things rectified, as the law gives us power to clean up, at the owner's expense, if he will not do it himself. I have every reason to believe that the suggestions I have made in regard to the repiping of the business section of the city will be followed. The mains now in are ridiculous for a city like Pittsburgh. They are only adequate for a country town."

Capt. Herbert explained at the meeting yesterday afternoon that the chamber of commerce, which was to appoint a committee to act in conjunction with the sub-committee, had not yet met, and that the committee had not been appointed. It is expected that the chamber will have a session within a few days, when the committee will be chosen.

BRICKLAYERS WILL HOLD NIGHT SESSIONS

Important Reports of Committees Will Necessitate Longer Hours and More Rapid Work.

Rush of business before the thirty-sixth annual convention of the Bricklayers' and Masons' International union is expected to make it necessary for the convention to hold night sessions from today on. Reports of committees will start to come in today. The matter of a biennial, instead of an annual convention will be among the important matters discussed. This proposition meets with some favor, and there is also a proposition to do away with conventions except under stress of circumstances. The plan is to make the official journal of the organization as a means of settling international affairs. The only objection to this is that in the election of officers the delegates would not have an opportunity to meet the new men in line for office.

The convention practically put itself on record yesterday to work for legislation which will obviate the "indirect" injunction of courts. This matter, along with other resolutions of importance presented in the convention, was referred to the proper committee. A resolution declaring for the establishment of an international mortuary fund was referred to the committee on resolutions. Such funds are now maintained by many of the local unions.

During a temporary absence of President Gubbins, First Vice President William J. Bowen presided in the convention. The successful manner in which he handled affairs was a subject of much praise for the delegates. Mr. Bowen is a delegate from New York and is regarded as the youngest man in the country holding the second executive office in so important an organization as that of the bricklayers.

It was announced in the convention that the wife of Delegate H. J. Weber of Florence, Col., was seriously ill, and Mr. Weber left at once for his home. The convention voted its sympathy.

A large contingent of the visiting delegates were interested sight-seers yesterday at the old block house, which the industrial growth of the city threatens with removal. They were enthusiastic purchasers of souvenirs of the historical place. Today or tomorrow, the weather being auspicious, the delegates will stand for a group photograph to be taken in front of Carnegie library. A reception will take place at Central Turner hall tonight. A banquet will probably take place at the Monongahela house next Thursday night.

KEEPING UP THE FIGHT.

Power Interests Will Push Litigation Against the Retirement of Northern Pacific Preferred.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., Jan. 14.—Judge Lochren in the federal court today appointed Richard A. Mabey a special examiner in the case of Peter Power against the Northern Pacific Railway Company, to take and report to the court all testimony adduced by the parties involved.

This is taken to indicate that the Power interests, whatever they are, will push the litigation against the retirement of Northern Pacific preferred, notwithstanding the dissolution of the temporary injunction.

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MACHINE FORCED AN ADJOURNMENT

CHAMPIONS OF HARRY E. SPEIDEL TURNED DOWN.

The Republicans in the Fourth Ward, Allegheny, Were Given No Opportunity to Endorse Their Candidate for the Office of Controller.

The Allegheny Stone machine last night prevented the Republicans of the Fourth ward from indorsing the candidacy of Harry E. Speidel for controller. The meeting was willing, but a motion to adjourn was declared carried before the resolution could be acted upon.

The meeting was called to suggest ward officers. John Fielding was presiding. When the nomination had been made Select Councilman J. W. Robinson offered a resolution to indorse Speidel inasmuch as the Fourth ward is the home of the candidate. The machine is supporting Controller James Brown for re-election and is badly scared over the growing Speidel sentiment.

Treasurer John C. Hetzel was present to look after the interests of the North Side machine. When Mr. Robinson offered his resolution there was a shout of approval. Hetzel saw that the meeting was for Speidel. He ordered Fielding to declare the assemblage adjourned. The chairman obeyed, but there was an almost unanimous protest against his action.

The meeting selected this ticket: School directors (two to elect), Louis Mendel, Dr. D. I. Jamieson and David B. Watson; ward assessor, William Harper; constable, John Michael and Adam Hohman.

Allegheny Democrats Met.

The Allegheny city Democratic convention was held last night at the Jacksonian club in Nelson street, and named Attorney J. H. Stevenson as candidate for city controller. The convention was called to order by Henry Meyer, and Victor E. Paulin was made chairman, with Robert Beck as secretary.

Joseph S. M. Paulin placed Mr. Stevenson in nomination and a motion was immediately made that the nominations be closed. The roll was called on the name, which received the unanimous vote of the convention. A committee consisting of Henry Meyer, J. S. M. Paulin and James McKay was named to notify Mr. Stevenson. The same three men were appointed as a committee to fill vacancies. A motion was adopted that a finance committee be appointed, the selection of which was left to the chair.

Gulland Turned Down.

The Citizens' party committee of 25 has reversed its notion of Monday when it indorsed the candidacy of Charles Gulland of the Thirty-seventh ward for common councilman. About 50 of the citizens of the ward protested yesterday and said that I. W. Shearer should be the nominee. They claimed that Gulland was running in the interest of the machine. The committee then decided to indorse Shearer.

Other meetings held last evening were:

The citizens of the Thirteenth ward last evening nominated the following ticket: School council, William Schempp; common council, Charles Schad and Harvey H. Francis; school directors, W. M. Gormley and C. C. Morrow; ward assessor, Charles Reinke; constable, C. W. Allen. A resolution was passed indorsing John R. Larkin for controller.

The Twentieth ward Democrats held a meeting last night, but did not nominate a straight ticket for councils. The committee that is arranging with the Citizens' party was continued and given a vote of confidence.

The question between the Wightman and Edwards factions as to which shall represent the Twenty-second ward on the Citizens' party ticket was before the sub-committee at Citizens' headquarters last evening. Both sides were represented. It was finally decided to refer the matter to the full committee of twenty-five today.

Seventh Ward Ticket.

Seventh ward Republicans of Allegheny last night named the following ward ticket: School directors, two to elect, Dr. Louis Yeager, William Fisher and George Meister; ward assessor, H. A. Reinard; constable, John Bertges. The name of Louis Engle was suggested for school director, but he declined the honor.

First ward Republicans of Allegheny have suggested the following candidates for ward officers: School directors, two to elect, John B. Wills, Joseph L. Richards, James Dempsey and Charles B. Long; ward assessor, Ebenezer Johnston; constable, George H. England.

A large and enthusiastic meeting was held in Konstanzers' hall, Thirty-fifth ward last evening in support of the Citizens' political movement. The hall was packed. Ferd Kennedy called the gathering to order and presided. Speeches were made by several voters of the ward opposed to the combination in power in Pittsburgh. It was decided to empower Chairman Kennedy to appoint a committee composed of three from each of the three election districts of the ward to name a ward ticket.

CREDIT MEN AT LUNCHEON.

William R. Blair Addresses Them on Existing and Proposed Bankruptcy Laws.

Unusual interest and a large attendance characterized the semi-monthly luncheon of the Pittsburgh Association of Credit Men, held at the Hotel Henry at noon yesterday. The main cause of the larger attendance was the address delivered by William R. Blair, referee in bankruptcy in this district.

In his address Mr. Blair gave a short history of the four bankruptcy bills that have been before congress. He called attention to their good qualities and to their defects, and then gave a lucid and comprehensive explanation of the Ray bill that will shortly come before congress. This bill amends the present law and the changes have been indorsed by the National Association of Credit Men.

The local association represents the credit departments of most of the large mercantile and manufacturing concerns of the city. It was organized about a year ago and since then has grown rapidly. About 40 members were present at the luncheon yesterday, the presiding officer being W. E. Given, president of the association.

Eczema

How it reddens the skin, itches, scorches and scales!

Some people call it tetter, milk crust or salt rheum.

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Gov. Odell Celebrates Birthday.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 14.—Gov. Odell celebrated his forty-eighth birthday today. Mrs. Odell, wife of the governor, sent a large bouquet of roses.

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Chinchilla Muffs $24.75 instead of $35.
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$31.50

This is a regular $40 desk, but we will sell them for a short time for $31.50.

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308 WOOD STREET.

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Going to move in April? You'll need new stationery—and the time to order it is now—

Don't wait until the last minute and expect to get it all at once.

High grade stationery is a standing advertisement to a business house—

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429-431 Wood St.

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Weather—Fair. Wednesday, January 15, 1902

The January Clearance Comes Out Anew

this morning, after stepping aside for the vigorous Remnant Day of yesterday.

It is our purpose to have just such another vigorous day at the Remnants next Tuesday. So please keep thinking that over from now until then.

One of the best innovations we ever introduced—the idea of having three Tuesdays in January for Remnants. The thousands here yesterday throughout the entire day will spread the bargain news, and we know there will be a full house next Tuesday. We'll make the kind of bargains that make full houses.

Now for a bit of regular Clearance news:

Golf Gloves.

Here's a paradox: Golf Gloves are scarce, so much so that stores are scouting for them, and yet we have a lot—a new lot—for which we say a fourth to a half less former prices.

Both for women and children.

Very latest shades in those pretty mixtures and plaids; also white and black.

25c and 50c a pair.

Carpet Samples, 1½ Yards.

Women know what to do with them.

Wilton and Brussels—samples of our finest grades.

Each sample full 1½ yards, and bound on ends.

With a little fringe sewed on, they're transformed into a fine rug.

Brussels, $1—worth $2.

Wilton, $1.50—worth $3.75.

Also have a lot of short pieces of carpets, Wiltons, Brussels and Tapestries—will sell them for a mere fraction of their worth.

Hassocks, 25c.

They're on the fifth floor.

Everybody knows how handy a Hassock is to have around.

Nice foot rests for the older people, and as for the girls, they'd rather squat on a hassock to have a comfortable chat than sit in a chair.

25 cents. A mere bagatelle.

Neatly covered—mostly with Velvet—and filled with cork dust.

Formerly sold for 75c and $1.

Smyrna Rugs $3.

The kind that are considered very cheap when sold for $5.

72x36 inches.

The favorite "Express," "Royal" and "Imperial."

Serabend Rugs at the same price, $3.

Plain centers, first-class in every respect.

They're worth $5, also.

72 by 36 inches.

Cocoa Mats, with wool borders, for $1.25.

We sold them right along for $2.50.

Furniture Reductions

will be continued right along through the month. Easy matter to select an entire outfit from our variety of finest furniture, or to add to present stock of household furniture.

Parlor Suites, such as Vernis Marten, are reduced from $450 to $337; Italian Walnut, from $140 to $105; Satinwood from $171 to $130.

Odd Chairs, such as Mahogany, are reduced from $16 to $11, from $25 to $19, from $40 to $30. All finest woods.

Morris Chairs are reduced from $13.50 to $10 and from $18.50 to $12.50. Mahogany and Weathered Oak.

Divans and Settees are reduced from $26 to $19 and from $35 to $27.

Odd Sofas are reduced from $110 to $82.50 and $125 to $75. Carved Mahogany.

Tables are reduced from $24 to $18, from $40 to $28, from $31 to $22.50, from $10 to $7. Different woods and finishes.

Of course, the above are just given briefly as specimens of the reductions now in force.

Choice Indian Goods.

The Eaton Bros.' collection of Indian goods, both of the practical and the curiously ornamental, has just been replenished by a belated shipment which should have reached us in November.

Owing to this fact, and the further fact that Mr. Howard Eaton leaves the latter part of January, this Indian merchandise will be all closed out at greatly reduced prices.

The collection is comprised of articles from the Navajo, Zuni, Pima, Apache, Sioux and other reservations, and is genuinely Indian.

Some fine heads of elk, deer, big horn sheep, etc., are also shown at reduced prices. Nice for ornamenting hall, den, library or dining room.

There is also a collection of Navajo blankets rich in Indian colorings. Prices on these less than formerly.

All-Wool Cheviot 48c a Yard.

On special table today, Fifth street aisle, we will offer an extra fine all-wool Cheviot that sold for 65c a yard, at the above price. There are staple shades and black. For a superb wearing fabric—one of those sturdy stuffs that doesn't know when to wear out—we commend this dress fabric.

PENN AND FIFTH.

Watches and Diamonds.

The best, of course. But the best is best cheapest—You will find qualities high here, but prices always low.

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The Chandeliers will be right if you get them here.

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DAN BOLE WILL MAKE A FIGHT FOR COUNCILS

Workman-Preacher Says That He Is Not a Politician, but Wants Reform.

HIS INTERESTING LIFE

For Years He Has Striven to Do Good Among His Fellow Laborers, and All the Time Has Carried on His Work in the Mills.

"Dan Bole," the workman-preacher of the Nineteenth ward, finds additional responsibilities thrust upon him in his nomination for common council on the stalwart ticket of his district. Just how "Dan" will make out in his first political rush his best friends cannot predict. It is said, however, that if he puts as much energy into the campaign as he does when pounding the pulpit cushions of the First Brethren church on Sundays or in hustling the affairs of the rake tooth department of the Crucible Steel Company of America on week days, he will be a winner.

"Dan Bole," as the workman-preacher is familiarly called by fellow laborers as well as by many of his parishioners,

The Rev. Daniel J. Bole.

has occupied pulpits in Pittsburgh and vicinity on Sundays, almost without interruption, for 15 years. These pulpits have not always been of his own faith. So high is the estimation in which the workman-preacher has been held that he has been invited to exchange pulpits on many occasions with clergymen of other denominations.

A Wide Experience.

He has preached funeral sermons by the dozen, has performed marriage ceremonies, has led numerous revival services and has pushed along many mission and church extension enterprises, while at the same time he has been one of the dinner bucket brigade in the mills, a typical son of toil and a fellow worker and comrade of the laboring man.

It is due to the efforts of the workman-preacher that the handsome new building of the First Brethren church on Dearborn street, near Winebiddle avenue, has been erected within recent years. He has been supplying the pulpit of this church for months. He declined to continue the regular pastorate a couple of years ago with the outlook of a fast-growing congregation, and insisted on the installation of another clergyman. During the incumbency of this clergyman, the Rev. R. E. Darling, the workman-preacher assumed charge of two small parishes, one the Hilton Brethren church of Washington, Pa., and the other the Glade Run Brethren church of Armstrong county.

Again a Pastor.

On the resignation, owing to ill-health, of the Rev. Mr. Darling from the Pittsburgh charge, Mr. Bole was again obliged to take up pulpit work at home.

On his mother's side the workman-preacher is descended from Jacob Goughnour of the Dunkard faith, who fled from religious persecution in Germany and in 1820 founded a church of his faith at New Jerusalem, near Hagerstown, Md. Later this ancestor located near Johnstown, Pa., where he took possession of 700 acres of land and where the majority of his descendants are settled today.

One tract of land of 200 acres this pioneer set aside as a burying ground for the dead of future generations of his descendants. This is known as the Union cemetery, located near East Conemaugh.

On his father's side, the great-great-grandfather of the workman-preacher left Ireland during a religious persecution and came to America, and later married into a German family in Butler county, Pa.

His Ancestorp.

The great-grandfather, the grandfather and the father of Mr. Bole were natives of Armstrong county. Isaac C. Bole and Christina Goughnour, his parents, were married in Cambria county. They were German Baptists until the sect was split on the dress question in 1880, when they cast their lot with the Brethren church.

Their son, Daniel J. Bole, was born on May 5, 1857, and the eldest of 12 children. He was brought up on a farm, received a common school education, aided his father in the lumber business, and later was employed in the Cambria iron works. In April, 1887, he was installed as superintendent of the rake tooth department of the Black Diamond Steel Company, Pittsburgh, with whose interests he has been identified ever since, except that consolidation changes now locate him in the rake tooth mill of the Crucible Steel Company at Sixteenth street.

The workman-preacher was a member of the Brethren church of Conemaugh when he came to Pittsburgh. Next he worshiped at Trinity Methodist church in Twenty-fifth street, then at the Butler street Methodist Episcopal church, and there joined the Thirty-seventh Street Baptist church and taught a Sunday school class.

Joined the Messiah Section.

When a division occurred in this church he went with the Messiah section and assumed the superintendency of the Sunday school. Later he was dissatisfied and rented a hall on Liberty avenue, where he organized a Sunday school and later a church of the Brethren faith.

In October, 1893, Mr. Bole was regularly ordained to the ministry by a council of elders of the faith. His success as a preacher has been phenomenal.

LIBRARY OFFER ACCEPTED.

City Council of Columbus, O., Agrees to Mr. Carnegie's Conditions.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The city council of Columbus has by resolution accepted the gift made to the city by Andrew Carnegie of $150,000 for a library building. There was not a dissenting vote cast and the threatened opposition from some of the labor organizations failed to show itself.

After reciting the offer of Mr. Carnegie and the stipulations made therein, it was resolved that the city pledge itself to spend at least $30,000 a year in maintaining the library system.

CAUSE PAIN TO MAKE FINE LOOKS

HUMANE OFFICERS FIND A CRUEL DEVICE IN USE ON HORSES.

A Bunch of Bristles Attached to the Bit Tortures the Animal, Which Prances Wildly in an Endeavor to Escape the Butt.

That the magnificent looking, high-spirited, high-stepping horses that prance down Fifth avenue or cut a dashing figure on the boulevards of the city are not always giving evidence of exuberant spirits unalloyed was conclusively demonstrated by Supt. Porter of the Humane society yesterday. Tiny devices, too small and too well hidden for the casual glance to catch, are utilized to torture the animals with petty but continuous pain, the source of which they are unable to understand. The result is an apparently full-blooded animal prancing down the thoroughfare in very excess of vital energy.

The little device for torture and consequent spirited action has been known in other cities for some time, but it was discovered for the first time in Pittsburgh yesterday.

Pain Was Evident.

Constable John Hartigan saw a horse belonging to B. F. Jones, Jr., draw up in front of a department store in Fifth avenue. He saw it shiver. The muscles back of the ears quivered, and the beast threw up its head as if in pain. On closer inspection he saw the little "tickler" that was the cause of the animal's actions. He had already been notified by Supt. Porter to be on the lookout for such appliances and the Humane society officer was at once sent for. The device utilized to bring about the apparent spirited action consists of two small leather pads with about a dozen short bunches of bristles and fine steel pins protruding on one side. This fits over the bar of the bit on the side of the mouth. When the driver draws the reins, these bristles and pins prick the animal's lip, and the horse, not knowing why he is subjected to the pain or how to escape the cause, jumps in a frightened way to the admiration and wonder of the spectator.

Used at the Horse Show.

The same device was discovered at the recent horse show in New York, and all the animals that it was found on were thrown out of the competition. In justice to the owners of the horses both here and in other cities, Supt. Porter said yesterday that many owners have no knowledge that by means of this device their horses are subjected to cruel treatment.

When the instance in question was discovered yesterday the officers told the driver, who said that his name was Wilson, to take the horse and coach to the headquarters of the Humane society. Here the burrs were removed, and the animal showed signs of immediate relief. When this had been done, the groom, who had been watching the operation, asked if the officer intended to make any trouble, saying that he was compelled to put these fittings on the animal as it was vicious and hard to control.

Groom Tries to Explain.

He even went so far as to say that he had been brought from New York by Mr. Jones for the express purpose of subduing the animal. He said that he was a trained English groom, and that he had used the appliance with success before, but that Mr. Jones did not know that he was using it in this case. After the leather burrs were removed Wilson was permitted to go back to the stand in front of the store where the officers had first noticed the animal and its peculiar actions.

Supt. Porter when seen yesterday denied the statement of the groom that the animal is vicious, and said that he had been watching the horse for some time. He said:

"The device is a new one here. It has been used a great deal in New York city. It is a most cruel one, and few of the owners of the animals have any idea that it is used on their horses.

Used on Gerry's Horses.

"Mr. Gerry, the well-known humanitarian of New York, was dumfounded when this same appliance was discovered by his agents on his own animals. This was during the horse show in that city.

"Now the same conditions prevail here. The owners have no knowledge that their horses are submitted to this cruel treatment. They do not look after their horses with the care and prudence that they should. The result is that they see the horses jumping around with a spirited and showy action and they attribute that to their perfect condition. The device is made to fit on a curb bit. It is a small piece of patent leather about one-half inch thick and three inches in diameter.

Device Explained.

"There is a slit cut in the leather so that it can be fitted on over the bit. It is placed next to the skin under the bridle bands, and when the driver draws the reins it is pressed against the horse's mouth. This pricks the mouth and causes a sharp pain. The horse jumps in a startled manner. He throws his head up in the air and moves with a spirited action."

BISHOP BRENT COMING.

Newly Consecrated Bishop of the Philippines Will Visit Pittsburgh Early in February.

The Rt. Rev. Charles H. Brent, the recently elected Protestant Episcopal missionary bishop of the Philippine Islands, will be the guest of the Episcopal clergy of this city next month. He will stay here several days, preach in Trinity church and conduct services in various parts of the city. Bishop Brent was elected last October at the convention in San Francisco and was consecrated last week.

According to the present arrangement he is to arrive here Thursday morning, February 6, and will be taken to the residence of the Rt. Rev. Bishop Whitehead. The morning following he will conduct the Quiet day services for the clergy of this diocese in the Church of the Ascension, beginning at 10 o'clock with the celebration of holy communion. This will be followed by an address to the clergy.

Plans are already being made for a mass meeting of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew Sunday afternoon, February 9. It has not been definitely determined where to hold this mass meeting, but it will likely be in one of the theaters or in music hall of the exposition. At this meeting the bishop will deliver a lecture on "Mission Work." The Saturday morning previous Quiet day services will be held for the women in the assembly room of the parish house, Trinity church. The Women's Auxiliary propose to take advantage of the bishop's presence at this service by turning out a large membership. Sunday evening he will preach to the Laymen's Missionary league in Emmanuel church, Allegheny.

Thin Hair

You can't expect a half-starved child to prosper. Neither will half-starved hair prosper, either. Growth demands food. Then feed your hair. Feed it with Ayer's Hair Vigor, the only genuine hair-food.

"My hair was falling out rapidly, and my head was nearly bald. I then began the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor, and less than two bottles stopped my hair from falling out and made it grow rapidly. It has done wonders for me."
Ruth Lawson, Detroit, Mich.

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LARKIN SAYS A 10-MILL LEVY IS BIG ENOUGH

Citizens' Candidate for Controller Issues a Public Statement.

THE LAW IS DISREGARDED

He Declares That the Purpose of the Machine in Postponing the Fixing of the Tax Levy Is Apparently to Escape Public Attention.

By the election of an anti-machine controller and council, John B. Larkin says that the taxpayers of the city can escape with a 10 mill tax levy. He presents figures to back the assertion that the government could now be run on a 12 mill basis. The announcement that the machine intends to fix the levy at 15 mills caused Mr. Larkin, the candidate of the Citizens party for controller, to make this statement:

If the tax levy for the coming year is to be postponed until after the election next month instead of before, as the law provides, the ring organization must have in contemplation a tax rate it dare not now impose. In common with taxpayers, I take a lively interest in the cost of government and would like to know now how much the ring will charge us in the closing year of its existence. The organization in Sixth avenue knows to a mill what the load will be through its able and adroit figurers, but the cunning and discretion in its composition wont allow what it regards as private business, to pass over the threshold for fear of further arousing the anger of the people.

A Hint of Fifteen Mills.

The hint, however, is thrown out, that the millage may be kept as low as 15, and then follows another hint that the people must expect nothing from a 15 mill rate, except ordinary expenses and the suspension of all improvements. There is no mistaking what it will do, unless the people in their wards instruct their councilmen to vote in accordance with their wishes and make the rate 12 in place of 15 mills, as was intended when the ring was dispossessed last March. The ring wants 17 mills, but will take 15, in the fear of a cut to 12 or 13 mills.

That the people may know what the necessary expenses of the city are, and what 12 mills on present taxable valuation of $301,153,000 will put into their treasury, I have taken the time to reproduce substantially the receipts and expenditures of the fiscal year ending January 31, 1901, including the incidental revenues from government and by estimating the tax rate at 12 mills instead of 15 and including also the inflated budgets of public works, public safety, public charities, and general administration from which $580,000 may be taken any day without missing it.

The City's Income.

Receipts—City tax (based on present valuation of $301,153,000), $3,613,000; water rents, $825,000; department public works, $108,000; department public safety, $12,000; department charities, $43,000; city attorney, $530,000; state warrants for schools, $203,000; liquor licenses, Brooks laws, $474,000; vehicle and railway licenses, $68,000; mayor's office and gauger, $50,000; delinquent tax advertising, $7,000; delinquent tax commission, $22,000; interest from banks on balance, $192,000; interest from sinking fund trust, $4,260,000; total, $4,260,000.

Disbursements—Interest and tax on loan, $788,000; judgments, $412,000; education, $895,000; Carnegie library, $126,000; street repairing, $2,958,000; assessors' office and gauger, $50,000; department public safety, $1,220,000; department public works, $1,406,000; department charities, $144,000; mayor's office, administration, $273,000; total, $8,791,000; excess for sinking fund, $502,000; total, $6,293,000.

Paste This in Your Hat.

Cut this out and paste it in your hat as correctly showing the income and outgo in 1900, with a 12-mill tax rate, although the levy was 15 mills, cut from 17, through fear of the ripper, then pending, and the effort made by friends of the ripper. With as full knowledge as can be had outside of the controller's office, I risk nothing in saying that with the taxable valuation of $301,153,000, as it is now, 10 mills, not 15 mills, plus the carefully collected revenues mentioned in detail herein, will pay all necessary expenses, provide for the sinking funds, and improve the credit and character of the government. It is possible that could not be accomplished this year, but 12 mills is ample this year, and it could be fixed at 10 mills in two years, and will be, under a people's administration, and a controller who will control.

You will notice in the above statement of receipts and expenses, I have eliminated many items, such as collections and disbursements on account of streets, sewers, etc., for the reason that they form no part of city expenses, the city simply collecting from those who have property abutting the improvement and paying the same over to contractors.

Things Not Considered.

The same is true of special taxes and the sub-district school taxes, provided for outside of the fixed city levy and paid over to the district schools. The purchase of bonds for the sinking fund or the necessary legal allotment to such fund for the extinguishment of the public debt has also been left out of consideration, with regard to that the sinking funds allowed to public works, public safety, public charity and the administration blind pool, of $27,000, contain sufficient surplus cash to cover the amounts required.

The people should get to understand these things and give more time to their public business and select men for office who would represent them. These wizards of finance at City hall care nothing about a million or two, one way or another, and very much less about 15 or 20 mills, so long as the margin between public needs and ring requisitions is large enough. There is always much glib talk about sinking fund requirements, bond purchases and treasury redemption of bonds, etc., by those with an object.

Confusing to the People.

It confuses the people and blinds them, and the truth is, that while a sinking fund is an asset, it has been made a convenient pretext for financial juggling in this city, and the masses know very little about it. One thing we all know, the supreme court has decided it an asset, and in proportion as it proves, that the public debt increases, and that our sinking fund has had as well as good features. However, we have a sinking fund, and the purpose of it is to depopulate it of cash as the years of the life of our public debt, such sums as will finally equal the debt. In making this provision, while you are meeting the just cost of government, you should not be imposed on and made pay 31 mills, if 12 mills are sufficient, nor should your homes, enterprises and industries be mortgaged, for 12 mills, if the work can be accomplished for 10 mills within two years, if this ring is driven from power, and anything over 12 mills on an inflated valuation of $301,153,000, as it is now, is an extortion.

Preserving Pittsburgh's Credit.

You must remember also that while these able figurers—and there is no mistaking their ability to figure and then juggle the figures, are sitting up at night wondering how they can preserve the credit of the city and provide for improvements on 15 mills, are discretely silent about the cash balance of $7,440,751 10 in city treasurer's hands, January 31, 1901, of which $6,127,165 53 was the balance of real unexpended bond issue, covering the following proposed improvements:

Water filtration—Balance, $2,376,081 09; department of charities, for annex, remodeling, etc., balance, $227,688 45; department of public safety, for building, apparatus, hose, etc., balance, $216,029 36; water main extension, lines, new lines of pipe, purchase of real estate, etc., balance $892,191 64; erection and repairs of bridges, including South Tenth street, balance $821,514 82; completion of boulevard, balance $317,211 12; purchasing of Brownsville pike, Fall road, balance $40,161 47; land for Schenley park, balance $702,826; land for Highland park, balance $123,688 08, $100,000 having been expended from appropriation already.

Land for Seventeenth ward park (Castle Shannon), balance $73,302 77; land for Thirty-second ward park (Stephens' park), balance $99,247 25; improvements, Schenley park, balance $208,123 17; improvements, Highland park, balance $122,589 84; improvements in Riverside park, balance $90,094; approach to south end of Twenty-second street bridge, balance $25,000 29, or a total and idle cash balance of $6,127,165 53.

Debating on a Levy.

Yet this ring is debating whether it will make another levy on your labor and enterprises of 15 or 17 mills. I expect that 12 mills are ample to cover every possible need of this city for this year, and if the people will send men of their own selection to council and give me an anti-ring finance committee I will guarantee them a tax levy of 10 mills within two years, if I live, but there will be no padded payrolls, no general administration payroll of $273,000, nor will goat pastures or 45-degree hillsides be foisted on the city for breathing spots at fabulous prices.

The people of this city are a generous and a progressive people, they want the best they can get in their public affairs and should get what they want and what they pay for, without being sand-bagged or their own rights, or menaced in the enjoyment of their own homes, and there put under obligations for courtesies extended.

Champagne Imports in 1901.

Of a total of 319,243 cases imported by over 30 brands, G. H. MUMM'S EXTRA DRY aggregated 126,359 cases, nearly 60,000 cases more than any other brand. Particular attention is called to the quality of this wine; it is very dry and resembles the famous 1889 vintage, being more delicate and speedy than the 1893. Immense reserves guarantee the maintenance of quality.

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But when goods of such value are to be moved fast, big inducements must be offered. That meant greater sacrifice of prices than were ever made on pianos before. And we have no complaint to make as to the way the people of all classes have responded. Never in all our 20 years' history of successful selling have we moved instruments at such a rapid rate. Never in the history of Pittsburgh was anything like this sale known. It kept our big force of salesmen hustling the whole day long to wait upon customers.

Is it any wonder, when the genuine Chickering, Hardman, Steinway, Kroeger, Krakauer, Behr Bros., Gildemeester & Kroeger and other high-grade instruments, entirely new or slightly used, are selling at prices that actually save you one hundred to one hundred and twenty-five dollars?

In spite of the low prices, we will cheerfully allow liberal terms of payment. What more can you ask? Now, read a few of the many extraordinary offers:

New Upright Pianos which sell the world over from $275 to $300 go for $129 to $148; fully warranted.

A "used" Hardman upright, really good as new, at $175.00.

A Krakauer, not used enough to hurt it, only $148.00.

A James & Holstrom, slightly used, will go for $168.00.

A genuine Chickering, a beautiful instrument, colonial design, mahogany case, used but slightly, goes for $268.00. The regular selling price is $400.00.

A slightly used Steinway, full sized upright, handsome rosewood case, in perfect condition, goes for $285.00. Regular price, $650.00.

Other brand new pianos, worth $325, go for $275.00.

Some used pianos actually as low as $95, $78 and $70.00.

Two special baby grand pianos are priced $200 to $250 below their value—one you can buy for $450; the other $525.

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Made of Velour, beaded and braided or richly plain. Neat box front and fitted back; Medici collar, turnover cuffs, lined throughout with guaranteed satin; reduced to.....

FUR SCARFS— $3.98
Electric seal, stone marten and Australian opossum, cluster tails or long streamers. Reduced from $5 and $6 to.....

FUR SCARFS— $5.00
Of sable fox, mink, marten or electric seal, trimmed with cluster or streamer tails. Reduced from $8 and $10; to go at.....

FUR SCARFS— $10.00
Genuine mink, selected fox, brown marten or stone marten; trimmed in cluster or long boa effect. Reduced from $16 and $18; to go at.....

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Brown marten, Hudson Bay, cinnamon bear and fine American fox; also fancy pieces of mink and stone marten; $40 and $50 scarfs now at.....

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Sizes 4 to 14. Made of all-wool serge, in blue, brown and dark red; lined throughout and finished with yokes; deep hem and full skirt; $2 and $3 values; going at.....

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Sizes 4 to 14; full lengths; fine Kersey and oxford gray, loose or half fitted back; velvet collar and turnover cuffs; $8 and $10 values, at.....

FLANNEL WAISTS— $2.98
Immense lot of fine Flannel, Albatross and Basket Weaves, in fancy or plain effects; sold up to $5; closing out at.....

FLANNEL WAISTS— $3.98
Fancily embroidered with yokes and braid—made up of fine imported flannels; $7.98 values at.....

WALKING SKIRTS—$7.50—NOW $5.00. $5.00
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Made from all-wool black cloth, flounced and either trimmed with satin straps or corded. Lined with percaline and velvet bound; a $4 value at Sale Price of.....

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Blue, brown and black Venetian Cloth; also black Cheviot; trimmed with tucks and braid; perfectly tailored and lined; $5 and $6 values, at.....

WALKING SKIRTS— $7.98
Heavy Melton Cloths, in blue, brown, tan, castor and black; also Broadcloths, in blue and black; elegant skirts; worth every cent of $12; choice, $8.98 and .....

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Feels as though your back would break if you bent it—
Night doesn't rest you any—
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Plasters don't help—or liniment—
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It's the kidneys that are causing the trouble—
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NEW-BORN BABE GETS A PRESENT OF $100,000

GIFT OF GRANDFATHER

Ex-Senator Henry G. Davis, of West Virginia, Is the Donor.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CUMBERLAND, MD., Jan. 14.—Ex-Senator Henry G. Davis of Elkins, W. Va., the millionaire railroad man and coal operator, before leaving the City of Mexico, where he spent nearly two months, being chairman of the United States delegation to the Pan-American congress, telegraphed $100,000 as a gift to his only grandson, Henry G. Davis, Jr.

The child is a son of John T. Davis of Elkins, the only son of the senator, and is the only grandson bearing the name of Davis. He was born several days ago. He has one sister.

Ex-Senator Davis has one son and three daughters, Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins, Mrs. R. M. C. Brown and Mrs. Arthur Lee.

THREE NEGROES KILLED AND SEVEN ARE INJURED

Bodies Torn to Pieces by an Explosion of Dynamite in Clearfield County.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WILLIAMSPORT, PA., Jan. 14.—At Karthaus, Clearfield county, three negroes were blown to pieces and seven others hurt in a dynamite explosion this morning. The explosion occurred in one of the shanties occupied by negro laborers employed on the new West Branch railroad.

Several of the negroes began thawing dynamite at a wood stove, while about a dozen other negroes were still asleep in the shanty. Soon afterward the dynamite at the stove exploded and three negroes who were about the stove were blown to pieces.

The sleeping negroes were thrown from their beds and seven are reported to have sustained injuries that in several instances will probably prove fatal.

PUPILS FROM PORTO RICO.

Philadelphia School Board Gets Application for Their Admittance.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The board of education today received a communication asking if the board would admit 15 pupils from Porto Rico free of charge into the schools of this city. Prof. Rafael Jones, who has organized a Porto Rico colony in Baltimore, has secured similar privileges in Baltimore. The inquiry was referred to the committee on admission.

Prof. Leo S. Rowe, who is at the head of the Porto Rico code commission, arrived in this city this afternoon from Porto Rico, where he has been for the greater part of the past 18 months. He occupies the professorship of commerce at the university. This evening he was the guest of the faculty club at a banquet and reception. The commission, which was appointed by President McKinley to codify the laws of Porto Rico, has completed its labors and the report will be made to President Roosevelt during the week.

Stolen Goods Found.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Jan. 14.—Chief of Police Winters of New Brighton, and a Ft. Wayne railroad officer searched the house of Frank Greggins and found a large quantity of goods alleged to have been stolen, included in the lot were two dozen pairs of shoes, axes by the dozen and other articles from hardware stores; 96 cans of tomatoes, supposed to have been taken from Eden's grocery, and boxes of soap supposed to have been taken from a Ft. Wayne freight car. In addition a quantity of silverware was found. Greggins says he bought the stuff from a man named Murray. Several arrests have been made.

Alleged Desperadoes Arrested.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—County Detective Alex McBeth was called to Dawson today to help arrest eight men thought to be desperate characters, who had been living for the past two weeks in a deserted house, near the town. When the men were arrested it was found that their leader is David Maxwell, who has a notable criminal history. Tonight the eight almost escaped from the Dawson lockup by burning a hole through the wall with a poker.

Verdict for Pittsburgh Firm.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—A verdict of $247 37 was rendered by a jury today in the case of Arbuthnot, Stephenson & Co. of Pittsburgh, against E. D. and J. M. Smith, in an action of replevin, the Pittsburgh firm claiming false representations had been made when defendants went to Pittsburgh to buy goods for their store here.

Bryan at Johnstown.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—William Jennings Bryan, who lectured here tonight on "A Conquering Nation," was tendered an ovation on his arrival here. A throng of people was at the station and the orator of the Platte shook hands with several hundred who crowded around him. At the Park hotel he was the guest of the proprietor, J. J. Imhoff, formerly of Lincoln, Neb.

McCullough Pleads Limitation.

SCRANTON, PA., Jan. 14.—The superior court today heard the appeal of James McCullough of Altoona, collector of county taxes, who was convicted of embezzling $10,000. The point raised by counsel for McCullough is that the embezzlement occurred in 1893 and 1894 and is beyond the limit of the statute of limitations.

Stole Money From Canteen.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—William J. Vanderstoot, a deserter from the United States army, was arrested here tonight by Officers Rotter and Sionaker on a description received from Fort Meade, S. D. He deserted in May, 1900, after stealing $150. He states that he stole the money from the safe of the post canteen.

Agreement Reached.

The associated manufacturers of brass appliances in heating, gas and water fixtures concluded a meeting of two days at the Hotel Lincoln yesterday. It is stated that the proposed uniformity in prices and weights and a price basing list have been practically arranged. This is a step to stop price-cutting in the market, although large independent interests are not in the association.

THOUGHT CONDUCTOR WAS A POLICEMAN

New Castle Man Alive After Jumping Through Window of Fast Train.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW CASTLE, PA., Jan. 14.—The man who jumped through the window of the Chicago limited on the Pittsburgh & Western Sunday night while it was running 45 miles an hour was Fred Koch of New Castle. Excepting for a cut on the nose and some bruises about the body he is none the worse for his experience. He didn't jump because his girl had jilted him. He thought the conductor was a policeman, and was about to place him under arrest.

Koch showed up at city hall today, explaining that he was the central figure in the sensational incident referred to and asking that his coat which was taken to police headquarters be restored to him.

P. R. R. OFFERS TO BUY ANOTHER RAILROAD LINE

Bids for the Capital Stock of the Pennsylvania & Northwestern Railroad.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, JAN. 14.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has made an offer to purchase the capital stock of the Pennsylvania & Northwestern Railroad Company on the basis of $1,000,000 of their stock for $2,250,000 of the stock of the Pennsylvania & Northwestern company. At the present market price of the Pennsylvania railroad stock this is equal to a little more than $35 per share for the Pennsylvania & Northwestern stock.

The directors and management of the Pennsylvania & Northwestern have expressed the intention of accepting the offer. The offer will be made to the stockholders individually by notice at a later date.

The Pennsylvania & Northwestern railroad is about 65 miles long, running from Bellwood, Blair county, to the Punxsutawney soft coal region. The principal freight carried by the road is coal and lumber.

REVIVED IN HER COFFIN.

Woman Is Regaining Her Health After Having Been Prepared for Burial.

ALLIANCE, O., Jan. 14.—Cards which were sent out last Thursday announcing the funeral of Mrs. John Evans, a former Alliance woman, have been recalled. The woman apparently died at her home near Deerfield Thursday morning, and arrangements for the funeral were made. Three physicians examined the body and pronounced life extinct. Saturday morning was the time set for the funeral.

On Friday afternoon friends who were looking at the body noticed a slight twitching of the muscles of the face. The physicians were notified at once. The woman was removed from the coffin, and a nasty examination showed that life still existed. Powerful restoratives were applied and finally Mrs. Evans regained consciousness. Typhoid fever is the disease from which she has been suffering, but she is now considered to be on the road to recovery.

EXAMINED IN DENTISTRY.

Twenty-Eight Applicants Get Certificates and 16 Fail to Pass.

HARRISBURG, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Sixteen of the 44 applicants for dental certificates examined by the state board of dental examiners in Philadelphia and Pittsburgh recently have failed. The list of the successful applicants was today certified to Secretary Latta of the board and certificates will at once be issued to them. The list is as follows:

Harry T. Avery, Sayre; Thomas S. Burbeck, Freedland; Hampton E. Brown, Haverford; William M. Fine, Trenton, N. J.; John D. Fitzpatrick, Ardmore; William Hauk, Lehighton; John H. McCulloch, Newport; Ettienne C. L. Morain, W. W. Powell, R. R. Robinson, William L. Schreiber, Jr., H. J. Smythe, C. L. Vellasky, Williams H. Gulies, C. S. Wassen, Philadelphia; Horace L. Baldwin and Ernest H. Duncan, Washington; Patrick C. Conwell, Blairsville; Joseph B. Gatts and M. M. Holaboe, Johnstown; James M. Kelsey, and Albert E. Moss, Erie; Edwin B. Swartz and D. N. Williams, Pittsburgh; A. R. Taylor, Buffalo; E. A. Wallace, Parnassus; W. S. Weddle and John W. Emmett, Allegheny.

Five Hurt in Wreck.

MONONGAHELA, PA., Jan. 14.—The Pennsylvania railroad express this morning ran into an open switch near Coal Valley. The fireman and engineer jumped and were slightly injured. Conductor Oddy's left hand was badly hurt and Flagman Hall received severe injuries. A man in the last coach was cut about the nose and mouth.

MINISTER SENTENCED TO PRISON FOR BIGAMY

HIS TWO WIVES IN COURT

Aged Preacher Wept as He Pleaded With the Judge for Mercy.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Jan. 14.—The Rev. Isaac Workman, who for two years past has expounded the Gospel throughout Southern West Virginia, was today sentenced to one year in the state penitentiary, the parson having pleaded guilty to bigamy. As he stood in the crowded court room here tears trickled down his cheeks as he pleaded for mercy from Judge Matthews. The judge made his sentence as light as possible.

Minister Workman formerly lived in Kentucky and had been married 20 years when he came to this state and wooed and won a charming little country brunette, scarcely half his age. Less than a month had elapsed until his Kentucky wife was on the scene, and justice for the erring parson seemed speedy.

Both wives were in court when sentence was imposed, and they wept together as the aged divine was led from the room. Prominent people here will appeal for a pardon for Workman, sympathy being with him owing to his advanced years. An effort will be made tomorrow to have Judge Matthews set aside the verdict and free the minister.

BEATEN BY BELLEFIELD.

D. C. & A. C. Under Another Name Went to Defeat.

The Lyceum basketball team, made up of the pick of the champion D. C. & A. C. league team, fell a victim to the Bellefield team last night at the Lyceum "gym," after a desperate struggle, by the score of 16 to 14. J. G. McFadyean, manager of D. C. & A. C. is also manager of the Lyceum five, and he had Rosser, Marthens, Fitch and Orth all lined up against the Bellefield boys, who were out of practice, but surprised their friends by playing the champions to a standstill.

The Lyceum was crowded with basketball enthusiasts, and at first Lyceum seemed to have the plaudits of the crowd, but as the Bellefield boys kept on playing the champions to a standstill the sympathy of the crowd changed considerably, and soon the oaths and black were being encouraged by the cheering, and when the whistle sounded for the finish there was a loud hurrah. The score and lineup:

Bellefield—16.		Lyceum—14.
Schaus	R. F.	Rosser
Yeager	L. F.	Fitch
Luty	C.	Randall
Gross	R. G.	Marthens
McLean	L. G.	Orth

Field goals—Yeager 2, Luty 1, Gross 3, Fitch 1, Randall 1, Marthens 2. Foul goals—Luty 3, Rosser 8, Marthens 2. Referee-umpires—Messimer, John Seibel.

A Good Game Expected.

The Carnegie Steel basketball team will play their second game in their new hall, Madison avenue and Washington street, Allegheny, this evening, having the speedy Sharpsburg team as opponents. A good preliminary has been arranged between Voegtly Cadets and Troy Hill Turners. Lineup:

Carnegie Steel.		Sharpsburg.
Seibel	Forward	Criswell
Lewis-Hay	Forward	Thomas
Hayes	Center	Dickson
DeMuth-Mawhinney	Guard	Frare
Orr-Beitzhoover	Guard	Wakefield

Irving-Terry Seat Sale.

The sale of seats for the engagement next week of Henry Irving and Miss Ellen Terry will open at the Alvin tomorrow morning. The advance inquiries show enormous interest, and certainly the repertory, the most varied and extensive they have ever offered here, is brilliant and attractive. The absolute novelties are "Mme. Sans-Gene," which will be offered in conjunction with "Waterloo" on Wednesday, and "The Lyons Mail," which will be given after "Nance Oldfield," on Friday. "Louis XI," which has not been seen here in many years, will be the final performance on Saturday night. "The Merchant of Venice" will be acted on Monday and Tuesday nights, and at the Saturday matinee. On Tuesday, the favorite double bill, "Nance Oldfield" and "The Bells."

To Welcome Prince Henry.

There is a movement on foot among German-Americans of Allegheny county to send a large delegation to New York to welcome Prince Henry of Prussia on his arrival in this country. The delegation will be instructed to welcome the German prince to this country and also invite him to visit Pittsburgh during his stay here. The German-Americans are proud of Pittsburgh as the greatest manufacturing center of the country, and are anxious that the prince shall see it.

Shall I Drop It?

Killing Two Birds with One Stone.

A man said: "I nearly killed two birds with one stone when I ruined stomach and nerves with coffee. Quit it? Well, I think so. I had rather be well, feel good, eat meals, sleep well and be able to do something in this world than to have all the coffee on earth."

Brain workers can get on with coffee a while, but the day comes when dyspepsia begins to show its head, then come times when the brain gets tired and has to be pushed. That's the time to look out, for it is a sure forerunner of that terrible disease, Nervous Prostration, and probable paralysis.

Coffee poison affects stomach and nerves (the brain included), and if persisted in will do its work sure as the sun is sure to rise. Medicine will not avert the final attack. There is but one thing to do. Drop it, if you show the least sign of the poison affecting you in stomach, nerves, kidneys, bowels, eyes or heart.

It is easy to change from coffee to Postum Food Coffee if you insist on having Postum prepared by long boiling. That brings out the taste and food value.

PAY YOUR TAXES AND CAST YOUR VOTE.

All taxes must be paid on or before next Saturday. That is the last day on which a tax receipt can be issued that will qualify a citizen to vote at the February city election. Voters will do well to give their immediate attention to this, for the law says no man can vote who has not paid a state or county tax within two years and at least thirty days before election day.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE'S CABLE FEATURES

OLD-TIME CONDITIONS RULE ONCE AGAIN IN PEKING

Corruption as Rampant as Ever, but the Foreign Power Is Respected.

EDICTS FOR CHRISTIANS

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

PEKING, Jan. 14.—The first week of the rehabilitation of the Chinese court and of its resumption of authority at the capital, has been a period of intense interest. That the empress dowager governs is absolutely as before the attempt to crush progress, and that she recognizes that foreign interests and opinions must be respected, is apparent.

Two powers are gaining ascendency in the council of the dowager empress. The first of these is Yuan Shi Kai, who is pro-foreign to the extent of appreciating the strength of foreign nations and the necessity for China's adoption of the instruments by which such strength was attained. The second power is Yung Lu, the imperial treasurer, who is the most influential among the advisers of the empress dowager, who is bitterly hostile to foreigners, but who is temporarily impressed with the advisability of conciliating them.

It has not yet appeared that the modernization of the court is more than skin deep. All the old methods of corruption and intrigue for office, the purchase of favors and bribery to secure audiences, have been resumed with a vigor indicating that officialdom is trying to make up for lost time.

Two edicts, which are largely the result of the insistence of M. Beau, the French minister at Peking, for the rights of the missionaries, appeared today.

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THE CZAR ADMIRER OF OUR PRESIDENT

He and the Czarina Express to Ambassador Tower Russia's Good Feeling.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 14.—At the Russian New Year's reception (old style) the czar and czarina took occasion to express to the United States ambassador, Charlemagne Tower, the gratification which they felt at the reports which they constantly received of the good feeling in the United States toward Russia. Their majesties wished the Americans to understand that the feeling is reciprocated by themselves and the Russian people.

The czar and czarina inquired particularly concerning President Roosevelt, with whose career their conversation showed them to be perfectly familiar. They expressed the highest opinion of Mr. Roosevelt's character and achievements.

DISASTERS UNDERGROUND.

Fifty-Four Miners Lost Their Lives in This Country and in Europe.

BRUEX, AUSTRIA, Jan. 14.—The Jupiter mine here was suddenly flooded today and 45 men, including the manager and two superintendents, were cut off from escape. It is thought probable that they were all drowned.

SOUTH M'ALESTER, I. T., Jan. 14.—Ten miners lost their lives in the explosion yesterday evening in Mine No. 9 of the Milby and Dow Mining Company, at Dow, I. T. The 10 men who lost their lives were the only persons in the pit and none was left to tell the story. All the bodies were recovered and as none was burned, the conclusion is that death was due to afterdamp. The explosion did not injure the shaft, which was a new one, and the fire that followed was put out before it did much damage.

LATEST SURRENDER PACIFIES ALL EASTERN BATANGAS

Insurgents Surprise Gen. Bell by Giving Up More Arms Than He Expected.

AN EFFECT OF OVERWORK

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

MANILA, Jan. 14.—The full and unconditional surrender of the forces of Col. Marlegras, who, with Maj. Cabrera and a renewable priest, named Castillo, gave themselves up unconditionally January 10 to Gen. Bell, who is conducting the campaign against the insurgents in Batangas province, occurred yesterday at Taal.

The insurgents created a surprise by bringing in 60 more rifles than the authorities thought Marlegras could command in the district of Taal, which he controlled. The Filipinos who surrendered included three colonels, one major, five captains and 12 lieutenants. They gave up 239 rifles and one cannon.

Col. Marlegras says he can prevail on many more men to surrender during the next few days, and also obtain possession of a number of additional rifles.

Gen. Bell says the surrender pacifies, for the time being, all the eastern part of Batangas.

Breakdowns of government employes have been frequent recently, including members of the United States commission.

CHILE HAPPY OVER CAPT. PERRY'S TALK

It Considers His Speech Proof That the United States is on Its Side.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

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BUENOS AYRES, ARGENTINA, Jan. 14.—Dispatches from Santiago say that the Chilean press is exultant over Capt. Perry's recent speech and congratulates Chile upon the friendship of the United States. The government here has communicated to the congress all acts signed during the controversy with Chile.

COLON, COLOMBIA, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—The Colombian warship General Pinzon, with 400 soldiers on board, arrived at Colon this afternoon. The troops will go to Panama tomorrow. The General Pinzon came from Puerto Colombia, where she reports that the Venezuelan revolutionary steamship Libertador, formerly the Bay Risk, is anchored.

Senor Matos, the Venezuelan insurgent leader, who took the Libertador to Puerto Colombia, is now in Baranquilla, conferring with Gen. Valez.

It is reported that the Colombian revolutionary forces under Gens. Lorenzo and Herrera have united. The troops of the Colombian government under Gen. Castro are near Panama.

AMERICANS ARRESTED.

Russians Unfriendly to Our Naval Officers and Seamen.

PEKING, Jan. 14.—Paul Lessar, Russian minister to China, has arranged for telegraphic communication between the United States minister here, Mr. Conger, and the consul of the United States at New Chwang. The latter has telegraphed that the Russians there are arresting American naval officers and sailors on groundless charges.

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Two Special Rockers— One solid Mahogany—one Polished Oak; all hand carved; upholstered; were $37.50, now (first floor)..... $25.00

Lady's Desk (First Floor)— Pure Colonial; solid Mahogany; very best cabinet work; was $50.00, now $35.00

Very Special (First Floor)— One large Library Rocker—Oak—upholstered with best Morocco leather—red—was $26.50, now..... $17.00

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Also one very heavy, in dark Mahogany—was $40.00, now (first floor) $27.00

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New shapes and decorations.

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3-piece hardwood Bedroom Suit, nicely finished suit at a low price..... $15

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Population, 726,064.
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Killed by a Mule—E. H. Cain was thrown from a mule near Edgewood station and his skull was fractured. The body lay where it fell all night.

Lost a Watch—Harry Kennedy of Edgewood reported to the police that he had been robbed of his watch and a small sum of money at Forbes and Gist streets.

Must Leave the City—Edmond Palmer, tragedian, under arrest for a week, was released yesterday on his promise to leave the city. He said he was going to Boston.

Injured While Skating—Nellie Powell, 12 years of age, living on Fourth avenue, Homestead, while skating near Browns station last night, fell and broke her right arm.

Robbed in a Street Car—H. P. Ohl of No. 35 Wilson avenue, Allegheny, was robbed of a diamond pin in a street car. He was knocked down by the man he suspected of the robbery.

Right of Way Granted—The McKeesport councils have passed the ordinance granting the Pittsburgh & Allegheny Telephone Company right of way through the streets of the borough.

Light Plant at Pitcairn—The citizens of Pitcairn will vote on Tuesday, February 18, on the proposition to issue bonds to the amount of $20,000 for the establishment of an electric light plant.

Front Platform Barred—All policemen and firemen will hereafter ride in street cars or on the rear platform, instead of on the front platform, as has been customary. The order was issued yesterday.

Negro Wanted for Murder—William Smith, a negro, is wanted by the coroner for having killed William Thompson at Clairton on January 8, according to the finding of the jury. Charles Harris is being held as a witness.

Both Legs Broken—Charles Schiff, 35 years of age, from Washington, D. C., boarding at No. 701 Wylie avenue, had both legs broken yesterday while working on a new building at Eleventh street and Penn avenue.

Accused of Robbery—N. E. Reynolds of Wellsville, N. Y., and R. J. Diersi of Birmingham, Ala., are under arrest on suspicion of having taken $340 from the room of Alice Clark of No. 547 Second avenue. The woman is Diersi's sister.

Broke His Foot—Warner Brisco, colored, aged 40 years, who says he has no home, slipped and fell at McFarland's livery stable in South Diamond street, Allegheny, yesterday and broke his left foot. He was taken to the Allegheny General hospital.

Beaten by Three Men—Michael Karlock, a Hungarian saloonkeeper in Washington avenue, Braddock, was badly beaten by three men after he closed his saloon last night. Constable W. J. Bennett arrested three men, but Karlock could not identify them.

Looking for His Money—James Coswell of Newark, N. J., spent yesterday in East Pittsburgh with Officer Samuel Coulter looking for an employe of the Westinghouse electric works who recently came from Newark, and who, Coswell says, stole $155 from him before leaving.

Died in a Shanty—Huston Brown, a negro, 35 years of age, was found dead in a shanty near Hays station. While drunk on Monday he fell into the river and was pulled out by John Johnson. He was placed in the shanty and a good fire built for him, but was dead when found yesterday morning.

Wants the Nomination—Humane Agent James N. Kidney has announced himself as a candidate for justice of the peace in Millvale borough on the Republican ticket. There are two other candidates in the borough for the Republican nomination: John E. Rheams, Jr., and P. J. Bauer. Bauer is the incumbent.

Postal Examination—A civil service examination will be held in Sewickley at 9 o'clock a. m. Wednesday, January 29, for clerk and carrier at the postoffice. All applicants must be at least 5 feet 4 inches in height and weigh not less than 125 pounds. Applicants must be between the ages of 18 and 45 years. Blank forms can be obtained at the Sewickley postoffice.

Killed by a Fall—John Johnson, 27 years of age, of No. 6128 Butler street, and Benjamin Smith, 27 years of age, of Reading, fell from the new county bridge in process of construction at Harmarville yesterday morning. Johnson was killed and Smith severely injured. Smith was taken to the Allegheny General hospital.

Sewer Bids Opened—City Recorder John R. Murphy of Allegheny yesterday afternoon opened bids for 30 sewers, one of which is a brick sewer on Wickline lane, Troy Hill, and eight are main sewers. He also opened bids for a retaining wall on Valley street, Fifteenth ward. The bids were referred to the city recorder's office clerks for tabulation.

Plans to be Revised—The Pittsburgh Free Dispensary association yesterday discussed plans for remodeling the building recently purchased at Duquesne way and Seventh street. A committee of five will make such changes as seem advisable and report at a special meeting. The board hopes to get into the new building by June 1.

Pittsburgh Orchestra—The programs this week for Friday evening and Saturday afternoon are made up of "request" numbers, the requests including such compositions as have been played by the orchestra last season and this season. The voting this year was very large. The soloist at these concerts is Madame Hissem de Moss, soprano, of Cincinnati and New York.

More Oleo Cases—Three more oleo cases were disposed of by Alderman John Groetzinger yesterday afternoon. The defendants were S. L. Young, Federal street, Allegheny; Andrew Sappl, Cass avenue, Allegheny, and John McGeary, Fountain street, Allegheny. All were charged with selling oleomargarine without a state license. Fines of $100 and costs were imposed in each case.

New Club Organized—A men's social club was organized by the Rev. E. A. Bosworth, pastor of the Christian church of Homestead, and a number of his congregation last night. Thomas Wood, president of the Men's Social club of the Braddock Christian church, made the principal address. The club will hold weekly meetings and furnish amusement for the members.

Fell Down a Shaft—John Lytle, aged about 35 years, about 1 p. m. yesterday fell down an elevator shaft from the third floor to the cellar in Swift & Co.'s meat establishment in Church avenue, Allegheny, where he was employed as engineer, and fractured his skull and broke his collar bone. He was picked up unconscious and removed to the Allegheny General hospital, where he lies in a critical condition.

Had Many Rings—Frank Bushart of No. 758 Fleeson street and Harry Lowe of Bennett street are under arrest on suspicion of being the parties who robbed the jewelry store of F. Stewart, 13 Sixth street, on the night of December 3. Walter Rowe is under arrest for receiving the goods. When arrested Rowe had 16 gold rings in his pockets, while Bushart had 11 door keys. Bushart and Lowe are reported to be from New York.

Stopped Traction Cars—Laboring under the delusion that he was superintendent of the traction company, Fred Bummell, 48 years old, of Glenfield, blockaded the cars along Sixth avenue last night at 8 o'clock, by jumping in front of them and waving his arms and threatening the motormen. He was placed under arrest by Officer William McClintock and locked up in the Central police station on a charge of disorderly conduct.

A Military Funeral—The funeral services over the remains of Private Charles B. Burtt of the Twelfth United States infantry will be held tomorrow afternoon. They will be in charge of former members of Company F, Eighteenth regiment, N. G. P., Camp Friend W. Jenkins No. 1, Spanish-American War Veterans; the Philippine War Veterans, Battery B and the Fourteenth regiment. The body arrived home yesterday morning and was taken to the home of his parents, No. 21 Industry street.

Driver Exonerated—The fire and police board yesterday investigated the killing of a horse by John Loughridge, driver of truck A, on Wednesday night of last week, when he drove into a street car at the corner of Penn avenue and Ninth street, while on the way to a fire. All evidence went to show that Loughridge could not help hitting the car, and he was not held responsible. The conductor of the car testified that the motorman stopped the car at the corner and then started without receiving a signal from the conductor.

Assaulted a Waiter—Because the waiter refused to serve him with a drink C. A. Daugherty, 50 years old, struck James Conway in the head with a glass in Mashey's hotel and inflicted a severe laceration. After throwing the glass he ran from the hotel and was caught and placed under arrest at Fifth avenue and Smithfield street by Officer Thomas Paisley and locked up in the Central police station on a charge of disorderly conduct. Conway's head was dressed at the Homeopathic hospital. Dougherty will be arraigned for a special hearing this morning before Police Magistrate Bernard McKenna.

Strike Declared Off—The board of business agents of the Pittsburgh Building Trades council yesterday declared off the strike on the Union station building proper. To this purpose they entered an agreement with William Miller & Sons of Pittsburgh and Roydhouse, Arey & Co. of Philadelphia, the general contractors, and the W. L. Tyler Company of Cleveland, the ornamental iron contractors by which the union hours and union wages are to be observed and the nonunion men on the work discharged. This will displace over 200 men doing work in the completion of the station and office building proper.

Charged With Robbery—Charged with robbery and felonious assault, M. Sapira, a Syrian, was committed to jail last night by Alderman William B. Armstrong for trial at court on the information of Sharef Nzama, a Syrian, of Washington avenue, at a hearing before him yesterday afternoon. Nzama alleges that Sapira waylaid him while on his way out Forward avenue with his pack, and beat and robbed him of his goods and $8. While making a resistance, Nzama says, he was badly cut about the arm and wrist. He also testified at the hearing that Sapira had threatened to rob him several times prior to this.

Library Officers Chosen—A special meeting of the Braddock trustees of the Carnegie library and club was held last night in the library to take action on the resignation of James Gayley, president of the board since the library was established in 1889. He was formerly a Braddock resident, but recently moved to New York city. At the meeting, Thomas Morrison, a cousin of Mr. Carnegie, was elected president of the board. W. E. Morrow, now located at Duluth, with the Oliver Iron Company, who was formerly a member of the board, handed in his resignation, and J. E. Mitchell was elected to his place.

Officers Elected—The Pennsylvania congress, an auxiliary of the national association of the same name, held its second annual meeting yesterday at the Monongahela house. 50 representatives being present from fraternal societies of the state. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, F. H. Duckwitz, Mystic Circle, Philadelphia; vice president, W. E. Blaney, Macabees, Oil City; secretary and treasurer, W. S. Palmer, Heme Circle, Sharon; executive committee: W. E. Blaney, W. S. Palmer, S. B. Cochran, Ed E. Hohmann, H. C. Scott, S. A. Will, J. A. Laughlit of this city was chosen as the representative to the national congress in Denver, August next.

Casualties at the Mills—John Mickcio had his right foot crushed under a beam while at work at the plant of the McClintic-Marshall Company, Rankin. He was taken to his home at 1105 River avenue, Braddock. John Sopner lost two fingers at the Carrie furnaces yesterday. I. Hossman had his right leg broken at the Edgar Thomson furnaces. Frank Nickel of Second street, Braddock, fell between the rolls in the Homestead steel works and was severely injured. William Hazen of Wood street, Braddock, was struck on the head by a pin which fell from the shafting at the Edgar Thomson steel works and was dangerously injured. George Sanders, employed in the foundry of the Edgar Thomson steel works, Braddock, was dangerously burned by molten metal last night.

Prison Society Meeting—The Allegheny County Prison society held a meeting yesterday at the Y. M. C. A. and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, the Rev. J. L. Milligan, LL. D.; vice president, the Rev. E. R. Donehoo, D. D.; secretary, R. C. Miller, treasurer, J. D. Carlisle. The following committees were appointed to take charge of the religious services in the county jail: January, the Rev. J. L. Milligan, LL. D.; February, the Rev. E. R. Donehoo, D. D.; March, the Rev. E. D. Whiteside; April, James R. Reed; May, Robert Marshall; June, the Rev. R. J. Young, D. D.; July, Dr. Harry Westervelt; August and September, J. W. McFarland; October, W. J. McCreery; November, the Rev. Hugh T. Kerr; December, the Rev. L. C. Barnes, D. D. Visitors to the Western penitentiary: The Rev. E. R. Donehoo, D. D., and the Rev. E. D. Whiteside. Visitors to the central station: Robert Marshall and R. C. Miller.

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Jan Pilasky	Pittsburgh
Wakefal Hulska	Pittsburgh
John Saniaroanca	Pittsburgh
Susie Tunaro	Pittsburgh
Joseph Volz	Pittsburgh
Louisa Riear	Pittsburgh
Alex A. Prance	Washington Co., Pa.
Mary J. Pearce	Washington Co., Pa.
Hattie Bradley	Allegheny
Randolph Douglass	Pittsburgh
Judson Bishoff	Duquesne, Pa.
Adaline Edwards	Duquesne, Pa.
Mike Rakuin	Allegheny
Annie Plaiko	Allegheny
Leon M. McLaughlin	Aspinwall
Margaret M. Bendie	Pittsburgh
William J. Boyd	McKees Rocks
Eleanora B. May	McKees Rocks
Andrey Matusovic	McKeesport
Annie Slin	McKeesport
George Struzak	Tyro, Pa.
Hedda Veron	Tyro, Pa.
John Clacker	Pittsburgh
Harriet F. Bischoff	Wilkinsburg
Andrew G. Saughton	Allegheny
Mary M. Wig	Pittsburgh
David Kef	Pittsburgh
Margaret B. Maute	Pittsburgh
Sevant C. Tiffe	Michigan
Jennie Ewig	Westmoreland Co., Pa.
Vasily Rogo	Pittsburgh
Julia Galajda	Pittsburgh
Andrew Sliemawicz	Pittsburgh
Margayna Bobek	Pittsburgh
Wilson C. H. Montgomery	Pittsburgh
Mary Z. McFarland	Pittsburgh
Michael F. Connolly	Pittsburgh
Mary E. Newmeyer	Pittsburgh
John J. Maloney	Pittsburgh
Margaret Donnelly	Pittsburgh
Theodore Scharf	Bennett, Pa.
Katie Joyce	Bennett, Pa.
Jan Flakowszky	Pittsburgh
Wyktorija Goss	Pittsburgh
Harry H. Bell	Wilkinsburg
Rella M. Mapestone	Wilkinsburg
Peter Hubjak	McKees Rocks
Paraska Klenkowska	Pittsburgh
Stefan Kuzemka	Carnegie, Pa.
Paraska Krup	Carnegie, Pa.
Harry S. Osborne	Pittsburgh
Cecelia M. Schiffhauer	Pittsburgh
Frank Wels	Allegheny
Mary E. Gallagher	Allegheny
Chester Stitcher	Braddock
Josephine Johnston	Braddock
James H. Wilis	Pittsburgh
Clara Mills	Pittsburgh
Patrick Coyne	Pittsburgh
Katherine Molloy	Pittsburgh
John Kathic	Pittsburgh
Agnes Krimando	Pittsburgh

DEATHS.

BASSETT—On Tuesday, January 14, 1902, at 12:45 p. m., at his residence, Charles street, near Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, CHARLES BASSETT, in his 63d year.
Notice of funeral later.

BORRETT—On Tuesday, January 14, 1902, at 11 a. m., at the residence of her sister, Mrs. H. W. Pratt, 305 Kelly avenue, Wilkinsburg, FANNIE A. BORRETT.
Funeral strictly private on account of illness of other sister. Interment Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Services at Unlondale cemetery.

BRADY—At the family residence, 5839 Center avenue, East End, on Sunday, January 12, 1902, at 5 o'clock p. m., DANIEL C., son of Daniel and Mary Connor Brady, in his 22d year.
Funeral on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. Services at Sacred Heart church, East End, at 9:30. Interment private.

CARLISLE—On Monday, January 13, 1902, at 12 o'clock midnight, ROBERT G. CARLISLE, in his 40th year.
Funeral services at his late home, corner California avenue and Sedgwick street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

CHAMBERS—On Tuesday, January 14, 1902, at 5:15 a. m., at her residence, Laurel avenue, Ben Avon, Pa., MRS. MARGARET M. CHAMBERS, wife of David M. Chambers, in her 73d year.
Funeral services this evening at 8:30 o'clock. Interment private Thursday morning.

CHESTER—On Monday, January 13, 1902, at 1:30 p. m., JEAN FRANCES, daughter of Edward E. and Sally L. Chester, aged 8 years, 6 months, 15 days.
Funeral services at residence of her parents, corner Ridge avenue and Second street, Dravosburg heights, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in Richland cemetery.

CRAWFORD—On Tuesday, January 14, 1902, at 4 p. m., at her residence, No. 9 Grove street, MRS. MARY CRAWFORD, widow of Matthew Crawford, in her 80th year.
Notice of funeral later.

EDGERTON—On Tuesday, January 14, 1902, at 8:30 a. m., EZEKIEL, father of E. W. Edgerton.
Funeral services at his late residence, 702 Taylor avenue, Allegheny, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Cleveland, O.

EDGERTON—On Monday, January 13, 1902, at 11:10 a. m., MYRTLE LAIRD, wife of E. W. Edgerton.
Funeral services at her late residence, 702 Taylor avenue, Allegheny, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Cleveland, O.

HART—On Tuesday, January 14, 1902, MRS. ELIZABETH HART (nee McCully), in her 64th year.
Funeral services at the residence of her brother, William McCully, Castle Shannon, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment Bethel cemetery.

M'CAMBLAY—On Monday evening, January 13, 1902, at 5 p. m., JAMES M'CAMBLAY, only son of Robert A. and Jane McCamblay.
Services at his late residence, 213 Grandview street, Allegheny, on Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Funeral on Thursday at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited.

MILLER—On Tuesday, January 14, 1902, MRS. H. MILLER, widow of Dr. M. L. Miller, of Blairsville, Pa.
Funeral services at her late residence on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

NICKEL—On Monday, January 13, 1902, at 10:50 a. m., MARY A., wife of the late John Nickel, in her 61st year.
Funeral services at her late residence, No. 71 Wilcox street, Carnegie, Pa., on Thursday, January 16, at 2 p. m. Interment private later.

RILEY—On Tuesday, January 14, 1902, MARY JANE, wife of Samuel Riley, at Brownsdale, aged 57 years.
Funeral on Thursday, January 16, at 2 p. m., at Brownsdale.

SCHMIDT—On Tuesday morning, January 14, 1902, at West Penn hospital, ADAM SCHMIDT, aged 74 years.
Funeral services at residence of his daughter, Mrs. Mary Grabe, No. 829 Washington avenue, Allegheny, at 3 p. m. Interment at Unlondale cemetery.

SOLOMON—Suddenly, Monday, January 13, 1902, at 10:30 a. m., at the family residence, No. 7315 Susquehanna street, East End, ANNA MARY, daughter of Mary Emmins and the late Domenic Solomon.
High mass of requiem at the Church of the Holy Rosary, Kelly street and Lang avenue, Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Interment private.

WAGSTAFF—On Monday, January 13, 1902, at 7:30 a. m., MARY A., widow of W. H. H. Wagstaff, aged 69 years.
Funeral services at the residence of her son-in-law, Charles A. Anderson, No. 355 Atwood street, Oakland, on Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment at Sewickley, Pa., on arrival of the 3:37 train at Sewickley.

ZUG—On Monday morning, January 13, 1902, at 11 o'clock, CHRISTOPHER ZUG, in the 95th year of his age.
Funeral services at his late residence, corner Center and Negley avenues, on Wednesday afternoon, January 15, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

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River Improvement Needed.

The freight congestion on the railways during the last few months, arising from the vast quantity of merchandise which it was desired to move, together with an inadequate supply of freight cars should cause members of congress to listen with willing ears to the arguments advanced by the advocates of river improvement. The senate's committee on commerce has been listening to representatives of the national rivers and harbors congress which met in Baltimore a month or two ago, and the array of facts presented by these representatives certainly makes a strong plea for the conservation of nature's means of transportation.

The deliberations of the Baltimore congress have borne fruit in concentrating public attention upon the rivers and harbors, and on their important relation to the business of the country, and those deliberations should bear more fruit in securing action from congress. The chairman of the committee appointed to go to Washington, John W. Candler of Massachusetts, was quite within reasonable bounds when he declared that never before had the sentiment for the improvement of rivers and harbors been so strong as it is today, and he pointed to the fact that 65 commercial organizations had been represented in Baltimore, united in the demand for adequate treatment of the country's waterways.

Improvement in transportation facilities is the great need of the growing commerce of the United States, both inland and foreign, and no portion of the country is more fully persuaded of the importance of river improvement than this busy community of Pittsburgh. Nothing better illustrates the importance to Pittsburgh of improved river transportation than the following from a recent issue of the Age-Herald of Birmingham, Ala.:

"The American Steel & Wire Company, which is a part of the steel trust, has just started seven barges down the river, each loaded with 50,000 packages of nails and wire. These barges are to be unloaded at Memphis or other points, and thus Pittsburgh products are floated to the heart of the south, and almost to this district at rates that railroads cannot compete with. Nails and wire to the extent of 140,000 packages, weighing all told 17,500,000 pounds, will be landed close to this district and competition with them will become impossible because nails and wire made in this district must pay railroad rates. This cause alone should arouse the Gulf states to the need of an open Warrior for without it competition with Pittsburgh cannot be maintained. Pittsburgh has a waterway from the creeks of West Virginia for coal and coke, and it is shipping in barges rails and nails and wire and other goods to every part of the south. Unless this government can be induced to open the Warrior this district is bottled up. No matter how low the cost of production may be in this district we cannot meet goods barged to the south with goods loaded with railway charges."

America's Representatives.

The United States is to be represented at the coronation of King Edward VII. by three distinguished citizens, selected respectively from civil, military and naval life. The head of the embassy, with the rank of special ambassador, is the civil representative, Whitelaw Reid. The army's representative is Gen. James H. Wilson and the navy's Capt. Charles E. Clark. These are all worthy of the honor. Journalism is recognized in the choice of the editor of the New York Tribune, but Mr. Reid's fitness rests not merely upon his connection with the press. He is familiar with diplomacy, having been United States minister to France, and it was his distinguished honor to represent the United States as special ambassador to Queen Victoria's jubilee in 1897. Gen. Wilson was a dashing cavalry leader and did most excellent work for the nation during the civil war, not the least of his exploits being the capture of Jefferson Davis. He also saw service recently in China, and is now on the retired list. Capt. Clark is the intrepid navigator who made the famous run of the Oregon from the Pacific to the Atlantic and commanded that battleship during the Santiago campaign. The people will not be displeased to note this recognition of Capt. Clark.

More Elkin Literature.

The latest contribution to the campaign in behalf of Mr. Elkin is a little book, entitled "Life and Public Career of a Prominent Pennsylvanian." It is fair to say that in this biographical sketch there is naught set down in malice. It is a partial work in which none of Mr. Elkin's good qualities escape notice, and its appearance is a fresh evidence of the assiduity of the publicity bureau of the Elkin boom. The book is an entirely legitimate effort in behalf of the attorney general, but it may be said that he has no monopoly of the good qualities it attributes to him. The Republican party has an abundance of men of whom no less can be said than is penned by Mr. Elkin's biographer, and they have the added merit of being entirely free from association with the acts that have brought the state administration into such disrepute. One of these is needed at the head of the Republican ticket this year to give that confidence of victory not assured by the diligent exploitation of the candidate with whom Mr. Durham has declared he is prepared to sink or swim. Mr. Durham, as an individual, has a right to sink or swim in any company that suits him, but the Republican party should not be dragged into the same position of peril. It wants a candidate who is not in danger of sinking and with whom it is unlikely to sink. The biography may solace Mr. Elkin, but it does not inspire fresh confidence in his availability.

A Pro-Chinese Pamphlet.

An anonymous pamphlet attacking the proposed re-enactment of the Chinese exclusion law has appeared in Washington and a copy of it has been mailed to every member of congress. There is no reason why such a brochure should not be written, published and distributed. Such things have happened before, and in a country dedicated to free speech and to a free press such a method of political controversy and enlightenment is perfectly legitimate.

There appears, however, to be great similarity between the words and arguments of the pamphlet and those used on several occasions and not very discreetly, considering his position, by Minister Wu Ting Fang. This may be a mere coincidence, but Mr. Wu is under suspicion. In any other foreign representative this method would be a serious offense, but China's representative's most serious breaks are treated with rare indulgence, and all his tricks amuse.

To Prevent Smallpox.

In Pittston, this state, smallpox has become epidemic, as many as twenty people having been attacked in a few days, and it seems to be daily spreading from house to house. In fact, up and down the valleys in the anthracite region smallpox has taken apparently such a hold that it will require the strenuous efforts of the health authorities to stamp it out. Happily the disease seems to be of a very mild character, few having died, considering the comparatively large numbers affected. But, like most contagions, it grows in intensity as it spreads. If the disease can be eradicated now it will not be without its serviceable effect if it brings people to realize that vaccination is the only preventive and segregation the great safeguard against dissemination.

The Friendship of Germany.

At a time when there are rumors, more or less circumstantial, of commercial combinations in Europe against the great American republic, it is pleasing to note the friendly advances of Germany to the United States. In his desire to gain the good will of this country the emperor has gone to considerable trouble to bring about the accomplishment of his purpose. His request that the daughter of President Roosevelt be permitted to christen the imperial yacht, built in the United States, was as unexpected as it was courteous, but, not satisfied with this proof of desire for stronger friendship, the German emperor has selected his brother, Prince Henry, to visit the United States and represent him in the ceremonies connected with the launching and christening.

It is equally pleasing to note the disposition on the part of the people of this nation to ignore all differences of the past and clasp in friendship the hand extended on behalf of Germany. The presence of Prince Henry will do much to wipe out recollections of actions which irritated Dewey at Manila, for conciliation is evidently the motive back of his appointment as the kaiser's representative, and any grievances resulting from commercial jealousy in Germany may be safely relegated to forgetfulness unless they should ultimately become matters of serious concern. Doubtless the emperor also designs his friendly advances to be a guarantee of his good intent with regard to the Monroe doctrine in the settlement of his difficulties with Venezuela, and they are therefore doubly welcome. As a matter of fact, no one will imagine the kaiser's manifestations of friendship entirely disinterested, but it is none the less gratifying to our national self-esteem that he considers American good will worth cultivating. We are prepared to meet the kaiser at least half way; we will be glad to meet the German people more than half way. As to the suggested national appropriation for the entertainment of Prince Henry, we doubt its wisdom or necessity. While he will come as the personal representative of the emperor, he is not an official representative of Germany. Were he the latter an appropriation for entertainment would have more to commend it; but even then it would be an unusual act. It would be very unpleasant should such an appropriation be proposed in congress and fall of passage, or pass only after severe criticism from congressional watchdogs of the treasury and professional baiters of monarchy. Of course there must be, under the circumstances, official entertainment for the prince, but it can be furnished in such a way as to afford no opening for unpleasant consequences. The state department has a contingent fund that may be made to cover all the necessary expenses, and as republican simplicity should be attendant on all ceremonies it will doubtless suffice. The prince, being a level-headed young man, will expect and prefer the simplicity that is our habit to the ceremoniousness and glitter of a court with which we are unfamiliar and which would not become us.

Undismayed by two defeats in his efforts to win the America's cup, Sir Thomas Lipton has decided to try for it again. He has placed an order with William Fife for another racing yacht, to be known as Shamrock III., and the vessel is to be ready early in the spring of 1903. Sir Thomas has thus once more demonstrated that he is a man of pluck and perseverance, and has strengthened the good impression he made while on this side of the ocean. This being the case his intentions will doubtless be welcomed by the present custodians of the international yachting trophy, particularly as it allows them ample time to make arrangements for the next contest. Pending their decision speculation will be rife as to the next defender, but the Constitution may be so benefited by increase of age and tuning up as to be found worthy to pit against the new Shamrock. It was a bitter disappointment to the Herreshoffs when she was beaten by the Columbia for the honor of defending the cup last year, but the races of 1903 may furnish the vindication which was denied in 1901.

Efforts to have Mr. Carnegie endow something else than libraries and educational institutions have not met with success up to date, except that he has promised to give to a hospital in this district and has set aside some millions of dollars as a pension fund for workers in the Carnegie and other mills. Many deserving objects have been brought to his attention, but it should not be overlooked by those seeking gifts and endowments for them that there are other multi-millionaires, and that they are a comparatively unworked field. Mr. Carnegie has his specialty, and has given his reasons for devoting his wealth to it. He has no monopoly of giving, and others are free to contribute to things he has left outside his program.

The Louisville Courier Journal is barking up the wrong tree when it represents President McKinley, in his last public address, as "coming out strongly in favor of the ratification of the pending reciprocity treaties." As a matter of fact, Mr. McKinley did not mention these or any other treaties. He simply spoke of and indorsed the principle of reciprocity. Better reciprocal trade arrangements may be made by a general enactment than by treaty, and such enactment would undoubtedly have met with McKinley's approval.

Having refused to give up the governorship of Massachusetts for the secretaryship of the treasury, W. Murray Crane declares that there is nothing in the report that he may become secretary of the navy.

Pictures of Mr. Croker's successor make him look like a sweet thing, with a love of a mustache. And yet some people try to make us believe the 'squire does not intend to imitate the cat that came back.

The hot-air pipes between Mr. Chamberlain and Count von Buelow have not yet cooled off perceptibly.

The dowager empress of China thanks the Americans that she has a home to return to.

The humble hen refuses to manifest any spring-like activity in egg production.

The visiting bricklayers, masons and coal miners all have the freedom of the city.

The corn king got caught coming through the rye.

Arthur Pue Gorman is singing "My Maryland."

Monte Carlo has able press agents.

Krupp and Carnegie.

From the Chicago Record-Herald.

These are hard times for Germany, but good times for Herr Krupp. The income of the great gun manufacturer exceeds $5,000,000 annually. It is pretty nearly equivalent to 3 per cent on Mr. Carnegie's $200,000,000, and it is so large that it places him in a class all by himself and so far ahead of other rich Germans that his position is one of splendid isolation.

Sing Sing Reopens for the Syndicate Man

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
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NEW YORK, Jan. 14.

There was consternation in the bosom of William F. Miller of the Franklin syndicate that was when the news came that he must return to Sing Sing to serve out his original sentence for swindling. The term altogether is 10 years, of which Miller has served 18 months. The court of appeals at Albany today handed down its decision reversing the order for a new trial. Miller will go back to Sing Sing at once. Among those astonished and disconcerted by the bad luck of Miller is the erstwhile Pittsburgher, Col. Robert Ammon, who is Miller's counsel. The colonel is a good-natured chap, and he felt very bad when he learned that his client must go back to the grim stone building at Sing Sing, with little chance of being released until his sentence is completed, less the "good time" he may make by close observance of the prison rules. It is generally the case in this state that when a man gets back to New York city from Sing Sing for a reopening of his case that he does not go back. There are some exceptions, but they only prove the rule. Dr. Kennedy, the dentist, charged with the murder of Dolly Reynolds, for instance, is a free man today, after spending many months in the awful death house at Sing Sing. But Miller hurt so many people—including hundreds in and near Pittsburgh—that the jaws of the law snap on his throat with relentless power. There is much interest in the question whether Miller has "salted down" some $115,000 of the stolen money, with the intention of enjoying it when he comes out of prison. But the prisoner is a shrewd, close-mouthed fellow, and he has never revealed to anyone his secret, if he has one. The world may rest assured that if there is a fortune put away somewhere, it will stay there until Miller wants it. Even Colonel Ammon does not know anything about it, he says, and there is no reason to doubt his word. Miller is one of the most picturesque criminals of this decade, and he will need money to sustain the character when he gets his liberty again.

Chained Up a Street.

When William August Pierpont, the Brooklyn millionaire, who died the other day, wanted to save the cobblestones of Montague street from too much wear and tear, he simply stretched a chain across the thoroughfare. Montague was supposed to be a public street, but Mr. Pierpont owned part of it. His will was filed for probate today, and the question of the disposition of his share of Montague street comes up in the document. Whether it is to be opened or kept chained up, it will be a relief to the many persons who have occasion to use it to know that the matter is to be settled once for all. The Pierpont family have owned Montague street from the Wall street ferry to the top of the hill for many generations.

Still Beautifying New York.

Uptown, in the vicinity of Riverside drive, improvements for the beautifying of New York are continually under way. The viaduct over the drive at Ninety-sixth street is to be opened this week.

Fat Job of Mayor's Marshal.

John Delmour is one of the hold-overs in office from the Tammany regime. He is the mayor's marshal, and he has had some good pickings which have tended to make him very much in love with his job. For instance, he has been collecting about $25,000 in fees for arrears in personal taxes. He did not say anything about this rich perquisite, being wise enough to realize that if other people knew he had such a good thing they would try to get it away from him. That is human nature. But he is to lose it, after all, for Comptroller Grout thinks he can collect these personal tax arrears without troubling the marshal, and thus save the fees to the city. The marshal's office is in the basement of city hall, with its entrance in under the mayor's particular window as he sits in his office. I do not know that there is a trap door by the side of the mayor's desk, but if there were one, it would enable the marshal to come into the presence of the chief executive in an instant, merely by coming up on a dumb-waiter of similar contrivance.

Shrewd Whispering Larry.

Talking about John Delmour reminds one of his brother, Larry Delmour. He is known to many New Yorkers as "Whispering Larry." He has been one of the pillars of Tammany Hall for many years, and is also a contractor. He is rated as almost, if not quite, a millionaire. He gets his designation of "Whispering Larry" from the habit of placing his hand at the side of his mouth and talking in a low tone when conversing with a friend. He is a man of few words at any time, but is known as one of the shrewdest politicians that ever tendered allegiance to the Tammany Tiger. He is not an officeseeker or officeholder, but he takes a great deal of interest in those that are.

Dignified, But Merciful.

Bad Brooklyn policemen had their first taste of justice in the trial room at headquarters today. Deputy Commissioner Ebstein conducted the function, and, while he was lenient, he was also exceedingly dignified. He made the delinquents quake as they came before him. He followed the tactics of some of the famous pugilists, like John L. Sullivan, Sharkey and Jeffries, of knocking them out to begin with by his terrible eye. But it was soon found that he was content to impose fines of one or two day's pay, where his predecessor would have made it 30 days, and there was general satisfaction among the patrolmen when the ordeal was over. It is the feeling in the force that the men who try to do their duty only fairly well have nothing to fear from their superiors.

Birds of Many Feathers.

Such a squawking, cackling, clucking and crowing as there is in Madison square garden. The thirteenth annual exhibition of the New York Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock association opened this morning, and there was a goodly assemblage of human beings present to see the fair. If you are interested in chickens, turkeys, geese and pigeons you can have lot of fun at Madison square garden this week. If you do not care much about them, save as they come from the cuisine, it is likely to tire you, and you may even captiously complain of the smell. The managers of the show say that it has opened under favorable auspices, and that there never was a finer lot of entries. It may be mentioned that guinea pigs and hares are among the beauties on exhibition.

Taken to Winter Quarters.

Several large animals were transferred from the Bronx zoo to Central park today. Although the accommodations for animals in Bronx park are good, the keepers in Central park say that theirs are better, particularly in the winter. So it was decided to take down to Central park from the rather bleak Bronx park a fine specimen of the American bison, two zebras, five elks and six fallow deer. They will remain at Central park until the cold weather is over, if not longer. The bison is one of the most precious animals in the collection, and, although in his native habitat he might stand any kind of weather, it is necessary to take great care of him in captivity. Dr. Hornaday, director of the zoological park in the Bronx, is very jealous of his domain, and it is certain that only the imperative necessity for moving the animals could have induced him to give his consent. The animals have been running loose in an enclosure of 70 acres.

Mr. Morgan Promptly Denies.

An industriously-spread story that J. P. Morgan had cabled to Charles M. Schwab at Monte Carlo protesting against his trying to break the bank at that resort, was indignantly denied at Mr. Morgan's office this afternoon. Mr. Morgan characterized the statement as "absolutely false and absurd."

Box Auction at New Haven.

A large party of New Yorkers went to New Haven to attend the auction of boxes for the "Prom" which will take place a week from today. Yale is so close to New York that it is the custom for many Yale alumni here to run up to New Haven when anyth unusual is on. The bidding today reported to have been lively, the 50 boxes sold fetching from $75 to $25, according to desirability. The New Yorkers got back this evening, full of enthusiasm over the prospects for the promenade.

Enjoys a Little Pleasure.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., while an earnest worker in his Bible class and other church duties, does not disdain worldly pleasures in reason. He is the prime mover in a series of dances at Delmonicos, the third of which is on tonight. It is one of those mild functions for the younger set of smart people which are so popular in every American city. Mr. Rockefeller does not consider that piety need compel one to forswear everything in the way of sweetness and light, and he can tread a measure with as much grace and agility as any of his intimates.

A Prince in Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh will have a real prince within its borders tomorrow. He is the Prince Del Drago, and he will go to Pittsburgh as the guest of Mr. William Thaw. The prince dined with Mr. and Mrs. George J. Gould last night and went with them to the opera afterward.

Shaking Up the Police.

With the ejecting of "Big Chief" Devery from the police force there have come many more changes which excite policemen. It looks as if the new commissioner intends to have a thorough housecleaning of the Mulberry street office. He is sending out into the cold streets a lot of men who have been roosting comfortably in the detective bureau there and who never expected to be disturbed. But Commissioner Partridge has no respect for Tammany traditions. He is shaking up things according to his own sweet will. Among the alarming things he did today was the turning out of no less a personage than Devery's brother, Sergt. Andrew Devery, sending him to the West Twentieth street police station to take charge of the desk there. The "Big Chief" does not make any public utterance, but if will can be believed that he is muttering to himself, in awed tones, "who would ha' believed it?"

Good Work Was Undone.

The board of estimate and apportionment, whose meetings used to give Mayor Van Wyck his great opportunity to declare himself for economy, and which were usually the scene of fierce squabbling from beginning to end, met today and did a lot of business quietly. Among other things the board granted the street cleaning commissioner, Dr. Woodbury, $185,000. This will enable him to buy horses, equipments, and to pay for a crematory for garbage at the foot of West Forty-seventh street, which, he says, will save the city $40,000 a year. An interesting declaration was made by Dr. Woodbury at the meeting that the last administration had undone all the improvements effected by Col. Waring, and that the department is in an extremely bad condition. Percy Nagle, the last street cleaning commissioner, might object to this, but doubtless he contents himself with a philosophic "What's the use?"

Winter on the Hudson.

If one wants to see what winter really looks like, he has only to go to the Hudson river above New York city. Before he has gone very far he will find that the broad river is tightly locked with ice, and when he gets up to Newburg he will find regular roadways across the ice from one shore to the other. The fact that the Ramsdell steamer Newburg, with several passengers, and a crew of 60, is fast in the ice opposite Cold Spring does not surprise anyone here. Cold Spring is a little below Newburg, and the only wonder is that the boat could have got to her present position. She will have to stay there till the ice melts. The only kind of navigation up on the Hudson on which any dependence can be placed is ice boating. These graceful craft can be seen skimming in all directions up the river. Incidentally it may be remarked that you have never experienced really joyous excitement until you have taken a mile-a-minute trip on a Hudson river ice yacht.

Archbishop's Extensive Diocese.

Archbishop Corrigan has sailed away from New York for a rather long voyage, although, strange to say, he will not go out of his own diocese. He has gone to pay his triennial visitation to Nassau, Bahama islands. The islands are attached to the diocese of New York city. The bishop started this morning.

GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.
M. B. Ward, W. E. Corey,
N. P. Ellsworth, Mrs. N. P. Ellsworth,
B. Thaw, Mrs. B. Thaw,
P. C. Wood.

ESSEX.
C. A. Clark, Mrs. C. A. Clark.

NORMANDIE.
J. Loebel.

HERALD SQUARE.
W. S. Elliott, Isidore Rothstein.

IMPERIAL.
H. S. Hayes, I. Harvey Watties,
Charles H. Gardiek, R. S. Smith.

GRAND.
W. D. Arthur.

HOLLAND.
C. R. Simmons, Charles L. Taylor,
Willis F. McCook, Miss Richardson,
Miss M. A. Grafton, Miss Eleanor P. Shaw,
John McLeod, Frank O. Nixon,
Mrs. Frank O. Nixon.

VICTORIA.
W. C. Frossing, E. P. Wilcox,
W. A. Aiken, Mrs. W. A. Aiken.

HOFFMAN.
William Arnett, A. M. Schoyer,
Mrs. M. J. Schoyer, Mrs. Adrian Hudson.

FOURTH AVENUE.
John W. Herron, R. H. Mitchell,
A. C. Noesler, Mrs. T. H. Bakewell,
Wm. M. Bakewell, Donald C. Bakewell,
A. C. Gable, J. T. Keil,
C. M. Trowbridge.

ASTOR.
H. C. Campbell, George E. Reynolds.

BROADWAY CENTRAL.
J. Greenwald.

MIDWINTER SOCIAL EVENTS

PROMINENT among the social events of the week was the reception given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Mary W. Watson and her daughter, Mrs. Julia Horne, in honor of another married daughter, Mrs. Henry Chalfant. It was the first of a series of formal entertainments to be given in honor of Mrs. Chalfant, one of the brides of the past summer, though Mr. and Mrs. Chalfant have been entertained informally for several weeks past. The reception hours yesterday were from 4 until 6 o'clock and the affair was one of the smartest of the large afternoon teas of the winter. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Watson in Lincoln avenue, Allegheny, was decorated with plants and beautiful flowers, and the guests included the representative of the most exclusive social circles in the two cities, including the members of the extensive Watson, Marshall and Chalfant connection, and assisting the hostess was a group of social leaders. Mrs. Watson and her daughters, Mrs. Chalfant and Mrs. Horne, received together, the assisting ladies including the Misses Chalfant, Mrs. Herman D. Denny, Mrs. Carrol Fitzhugh, Mrs. Peyton Clark and Mrs. John Chalfant. Mrs. Chalfant and Mrs. Clark presided at the tea table. The Watsons have not entertained extensively for several seasons because of mourning, and their home was invaded yesterday afternoon by fashionable society. In the stately drawing rooms, with its groups of tall palms and mantels banked with ferns, the flowers were American beauty roses. Red carnations appeared in the library and pink roses with maiden hair ferns and ribbons and daintily shaded lights in the dining room. Mrs. Chalfant wore a beautiful gown of white peau de soie trimmed with [illegible] some lace, while Mrs. Watson was dressed in black relieved with exquisite poinio.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalfant were married last June in London, and during the summer traveled through Europe. They returned to this country late in the fall and immediately went to the Watsons' summer home. Mrs. Chalfant, before her marriage, was one of the acknowledged bells of Pittsburgh's exclusive society. She is a sister of Mrs. Wynn R. Sewell and Mrs. Julia Horne. Mr. Chalfant is the son of the late John Chalfant, is a member of the firm of Soang, Chalfant & Co., and is prominent in the Pittsburgh and Duquesne clubs. Both the Watson and Chalfant families have been in mourning for the last two years.

Capt. Hobson's Lecture.

Capt. Richmond P. Hobson of the United States navy will lecture in the Carnegie Music hall under the auspices of the Pittsburgh Chapter D. A. R., Tuesday evening, February 11. Arrangements have been completed by Mrs. Capt. Hobson and the entertainment committee, of which Mrs. Park Painter is chairman, and the lecture will be the form which the annual celebration of Washington's birthday this year by the Daughters will assume. A meeting of the committee will be held next week to plan the details for the affair which will be conducted with every attention to the social features which will be made very prominent. Capt. Hobson's lecture will be, as far as the Daughters themselves are concerned, the event of the season. His subject will be "The United States as a World Power." Patriotic features will be made conspicuous and the flag of the chapter will be given a place of honor.

In order that the affair may not be exclusively for the Daughters and Sons of the American Revolution, Carnegie Music hall was secured and tickets will be on sale. The interest which has been taken in the fight which the Daughters have made to retain the site of the Block house encourages them to believe that they will also have the support of the people of Pittsburgh in their celebration of Washington's birthday, which is held on February 11, as many of the local women will be in Washington, D. C., the week of February 22, attending the annual Continental congress.

The Club Meetings.

The Tuesday Musical club met yesterday afternoon and its members conducted an unusually enjoyable program. Among those who presented the program were Mrs. Myron E. Stowell, Miss Allison, Mrs. C. Meller, Miss Keil and Miss Vandergrift, who sang, and Miss Kroon, Miss Clarkson, Mrs. Lawrence Litchfield, Miss Webster and Miss Johnston, pianists.

Dutch art was discussed extensively at the meeting of the Travelers club yesterday afternoon at the Central Young Women's Christian association. The program was conducted under the direction of R. H. Gillford.

The Woman's club of Pittsburgh will serve tea at the close of [illegible] at its next regular meeting, January 21.

The Art Society Reception.

The Art society held one of its delightfully enjoyable receptions last evening in Carnegie Music hall when a lecture and song and piano recital of Wagnerian music was presented. Carl Armbruster of London lectured on the Wagner festival performances at Bayreuth, picturing the lecture with long illustrations of the music of Wagner and with many fine stereopticon views of Bayreuth and the home of the composer of Parsifal. Mr. Armbruster was personally associated with Richard Wagner at the time of the opening of the Bayreuth theater and he is eminent in England for his musical lectures.

Miss Hay's Theater Party.

Miss Stella Dithridge Hays gave a theater party last evening at the Alvin, her guests occupying several of the boxes. Thirty-two of the young married people accepted her invitations and after the play supper was served at the Hays home in Ridge avenue, Allegheny. Three tables were arranged for the party, one large one at which the covers were laid for 16, the other two seating eight each. The decorations were in green and white, the flowers being lilies of the valley, and were arranged in a mound in the center of each table. There was no special guest of honor.

Married in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Miss May Baun Walters, daughter of Mrs. Annie E. Walters of 342 Fifty-second street, Philadelphia, and Foster Lloyd Hanna of Carnegie, Pa., were married tonight at the residence of the bride's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Hanna will be at home on Thursdays after February 15 in Carnegie.

Dinner at the Golf Club.

Mrs. Harry Graham Brown was hostess at a dinner last evening which she gave in honor of her cousin, Miss Anne Price of Covington, Ky., who is visiting Mrs. W. K. Bliss. The dinner was held at the Pittsburgh Golf club house and the guests included the younger debutante set and some of the girls introduced last year. Covers were laid for 30.

GIRL WAS STAGE STRUCK

McKees Rocks Lassie Seeks Her Fortune in the Metropolis, but Will Return Home Today.

Miss Jean Barr, daughter of Dr. John A. Barr of McKees Rocks, surgeon for the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, who disappeared from her home last week, has been located in New York. The young woman, who is 19 years of age, left home last week with a companion named Mildred Miller, about 17 years of age. The disappearance of the girls was first noticed by their [illegible] from school. Nothing was known of their whereabouts until last night, when word was received that they had been found in New York. They are expected home today.

A telegram from New York states that Miss Barr had been seeking a theatrical engagement, but was not successful. She stopped at the Lodel Jefferson, where she registered as Dora Hurford, which also said was her stage name. The Miller girl went to stay with an aunt who lives in Harlem.

Seventeenth Ward Meeting.

The Seventeenth ward Citizens party held a big meeting at Old Turner hall at the corner of Fortieth and Butler streets last night. J. W. Walker presided. The speakers were W. J. Brennen, Stephen Morris, George Hering and George H. Stewart. Resolutions were adopted indorsing the candidacy of John H. Lazarb.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Mortimer Starling.

Mortimer Starling, aged 61 years, died at the Passavant hospital, after a brief illness. Mr. Starling was born in Hampstead, England, and came in this country in 1861. After residing in Cincinnati, Detroit and Cleveland, he came to Allegheny. He was educated for the ministry, but decided not to adopt it, and studied medicine. He was also a student of Greek, Latin and French. Mr. Starling was a member of the Laymen's league, of Trinity Episcopal church, a member of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew's Cross, and a lay reader.

Mrs. Mary A. Wagstaff.

Mrs. Mary A. Wagstaff, widow of W. H. Wagstaff, is dead at the home of her son-in-law, Charles A. Anderson, No. 325 Atwood street, Oakland, aged 65 years. She was a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Jane De Barnes of Auburn, two daughters, Mrs. James Reese of Avalon and Mrs. Charles A. Anderson, and one sister, Mrs. W. C. Duncan of Osborne.

Robert McKinney.

Robert McKinney, aged 77 years, died at his home in Forward township, near Elizabeth, yesterday afternoon. He was born and reared on the farm on which he died, the farm being presented to his grandfather, Matthew McKinney, in 1794. He is survived by four children, Mrs. Joseph Lytle of Monongahela; Mrs. J. M. Gamble of Lock No. 3; R. M. McKinney of Duquesne and J. W. McGinley of Forward township.

Mrs. Myrtle L. Edgerton.

Mrs. Myrtle Laird Edgerton, wife of E. W. Edgerton, is dead at her home, No. 702 Taylor avenue, Allegheny. Her death was due to pneumonia, contracted while nursing her father-in-law, Mrs. Edgerton was born near Johnstown in 1867, and moved to Allegheny about five years ago from Cleveland. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church, and leaves a husband and two children.

Henry C. Lindsay.

ZANESVILLE, O., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Henry C. Lindsay, one of the best-known architects in Ohio, and the designer of the Sandusky Soldiers' home and many other state institutions, died yesterday morning of cerebral meningitis, aged 57 years. He took an active interest in politics, and was a strong partisan of Senator Foraker, being his personal lieutenant in this section of the state.

Mrs. Margaret McL. Chambers.

Mrs. Margaret McIlvain Chambers, wife of David Chambers, died at her home in Bon Air avenue, Bellevue, yesterday morning, aged 72 years. Mrs. Chambers was born in Ayrshire, Scotland, in 1829. She was married in October, 1853, and since then her life has been spent in Pittsburgh and Allegheny. She is survived by her husband and five children, Lizzie J., Robert H., Margaret, Albert E. G. and Mary S.

J. F. Weimer.

J. F. Weimer of the Kenny avenue, Mc-Kinney, died at his home Monday night of consumption, aged 57 years. He is survived by a widow and two children, Mrs. J. J. Gates and Mrs. W. M. McCain, of McKeesport.

Mrs. Ellen O'Friel.

Mrs. Ellen O'Friel died yesterday morning at the home of her son, Thomas O'Friel, No. 525 Talbot avenue, Brookline, as a result of paralysis, with which she was stricken four weeks ago. She was 68 years of age, and had lived in Brookline for the past two years, coming from Allentown to make her home with her son. She is survived by her son and two sisters, Mrs. Allen Ryan and Mrs. Susan Thiesse of Braddock.

Funeral of Mr. Zug.

The funeral services over the remains of Christopher Zug will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon from his late residence, Center and Negley avenues. The Rev. David R. Breed will have charge of the services. The pallbearers will include eight of the oldest employes of the mills of which Mr. Zug was president. The interment will be made in the Allegheny cemetery.

James McCambley.

James McCambley, aged 33 years, a well-known young man of Allegheny, is dead at the family home, No. 213 Grandview street, Allegheny, after a long illness. He was a member of the First Reformed Presbyterian church, and took an active interest in church work. He is survived by his father, Robert McCambley, and five sisters.

Eugene McClurk.

Eugene McClurk of Rankin, a well-known furnace operator, died of pneumonia at his home yesterday evening, after an illness of ten days, aged 42 years. Mr. McClurk was an old resident throughout the valley, where he has lived for 25 years. Eleven children survive. Mrs. McClurk was killed two years ago on the railroad.

Hugh McIntyre.

Hugh McIntyre, son of Mrs. Celia McIntyre, died at his home in Carr avenue, Wilmerding, at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, of typhoid pneumonia, after a short illness. The deceased was 12 years of age, and was employed at the Westinghouse Air Brake works. He is survived by his mother and several sisters and brothers.

Adam Schmidt.

Adam Schmidt, aged 74 years, of Allegheny, died Monday night at the West Penn hospital, after a protracted illness. Mr. Schmidt was a member of Gen. Daniel E. Sickles' brigade and fought throughout the civil war. He was a member of Post No. 9, G. A. R. He is survived by five sons and four daughters.

David Durbin.

David Durbin, aged 85 years, of Allegheny, is dead at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mary McFeeley, No. 1117 Manhattan street. Mr. Durbin was born in Ireland but for the past 50 years has resided in this country. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Mary McFeeley, and one son, David Durbin.

Mrs. Margaret Evans.

Mrs. Margaret Evans, aged 68 years, is dead at her home, No. 3535 Butler street. She was a native of Ireland, and came to America in 1852.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Sarah Miller, widow of Dr. M. L. Miller, and mother of the Rev. W. G. Miller, pastor of the Lafayette Pa.) Methodist Episcopal church, died Tuesday at her home in Hollidaysburg in her 79th year.

Mrs. Mary Hamilton, for 50 years a member of the congregation of the Second U. P. church, died yesterday morning at the home of her son, Thomas Hamilton, in Sharpsburg, in her 87th year.

TWO COUNTIES ARE AGAINST E. F. ACHESON.

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lination would be assured, as the vote of Washington is much larger than that of either of the other counties. His second choice is the Crawford county system where the candidates are announced in all of the counties, the man receiving the majority of all the votes to be the nominee.

Lawrence county wants each county divided into 15 districts, the candidates to be announced in all of the counties and the voter to vote his first, second and third choice. If the candidate in the first choice of 25 districts he is to be the nominee, but if there is no nomination on that choice and the highest man for second has a majority of the districts, he becomes the nominee.

A Winner Somewhere.

In case the second man does not win, the third may pull through. Should none of them win, then the candidate who has the highest number of districts in the three choices will be chosen. The Lawrence delegates announced that they would never agree to the popular vote plan of Acheson.

All of the candidates made addresses in favor of their methods, but when it was found that Washington was not empowered to act, the meeting adjourned until this authority was gotten by the delegation.

Mr. Acheson will use the senatorship in the Beaver-Lawrence district as a club. He is in control of Washington county and his friends say that he can either defeat or elect the senator in the district.

Budke for Congress.

Senator Budke now represents the district, but it is said that he intends to be a candidate in Washington county against Acheson for congressman. One of Acheson's men will be nominated for senator in Washington and pulled off or made to stand just as the conditions of the case require.

Mr. Acheson says that from what he has learned in Washington he is satisfied that Congressman J. C. Sibley of Franklin intends to stand as a candidate for governor. While he does not say that he is for

ANNOUNCEMENTS ARE MADE WITH FAIRNESS TO ALL

Candidates and Their Friends Must Do Their Own Electioneering.

COMPETITION HELPS VOTE

New Names in the Teachers' European Tour Contest—Rules Must Be Observed by All Who Want to Have Their Votes Counted.

Candidates for the teachers' tour of Europe have been announced from day to day and will be as new ones appear. The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph have no favorites among them and endeavor to give each the same favors. It would be manifestly improper to boom one candidate at the expense of another. The employes of these papers are prohibited from cutting out ballots, because the contest is limited to subscribers who pay for their papers. Naturally enough, friends of one candidate or another would like to see a eulogium of their favorite appear along with the announcement of his or her name, but just as naturally the friends of another candidate would resent it if their favorite were not praised equally.

Rule of Announcements.

The rule of simple announcement, one day, has been adopted. When the first series of ballots has been voted the names of all candidates voted for will be printed, so their friends may know they are in the field.

There have been two or three instances of persons announced by friends, without the consent of the supposed candidates. Upon request of the unwilling candidate such names may be withdrawn, but in no case will a candidate be publicly withdrawn upon the request of anyone else. It is the privilege of every public school teacher to enter the contest, whether such candidacy "interferes" with another or not, and it is the privilege of any reader to vote for whoever he or she pleases. If the person voted for is eligible, that is, a teacher in any public school, the votes will be counted. The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph will have an open campaign and a fair election.

Fore Candidates for Votes.

The following new candidates have entered the race. In the division of Pittsburgh and Allegheny: A letter from Clarion, Pa., announces the candidacy of Miss May Robinson, teacher in J. M. Logue school, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh; Miss Blanche Biddis, Woolsair school, Pittsburgh; Miss Emma J. Clow, Industrial school, Pittsburgh; Miss Katie Suelsire, Wickersham school, Pittsburgh; Miss Laura Mercur, school No. 2, Twelfth ward, Allegheny; Mr. Joh T. Hawthorne, manual training instructor, Third ward, Allegheny.

From the division Allegheny county, outside the two big cities, T. K. Johnston of the Oakdale schools is announced.

From the division outside of Allegheny county: Prof. C. G. Hertzog of the California normal school is announced in the Washington Reporter; Miss Rose A. Caulfield, teacher in the Twelfth ward school, Johnstown, Pa.; Miss Ina Bowman, teacher in the high school, Martins Ferry, O.; Miss Ida Murray, teacher of the Glen Campbell school, Indiana county, Pa.; Miss Anna C. Hagenlocher, Young township school, Indiana county.

Competition Gives Life.

The Braddock News is disposed to lament the fact that two candidates have announced from that populous quarter. Lamentation is not in order. The chances are that two candidates will poll more than twice as many votes as one. The element of competition enters and much more public interest will be taken in the contest. In political campaigns every observer knows that unopposed or "sure thing" candidates are always elected by very small votes. Interest on the part of voters is quite as strong a factor in getting out a large vote as is population. This rule will apply everywhere. No one who desires to go on the tour need be frightened out of making the race because some big looking place has "selected a candidate." It is voting, not selection, that will win the prizes.

One Place on the Tour.

The object of greatest interest at Heidelberg is the old castle, one of the finest examples of construction in the feudal age. It surmounts an elevation of great natural beauty and is surrounded by gardens and grounds worth a long journey to see. In its cellar is the great "Heidelberg Tun" and it contains "a famous clock that nearly all tourists see, but it is no violation of confidence to say that many are disappointed in it. Not so with the castle and grounds.

Heidelberg university, however, is only second to the castle in fame and interest. It is one of Europe's greatest seats of learning and possesses a library rich in volumes both useful and rare. Heidelberg is much patronized by American students in special lines, as it affords several post-graduate courses of high repute. Heidelberg will be given one day and two nights on the teachers' European tour, conducted by The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph.

Rules to Be Observed.

Ballots must be voted in series; those of one series must be deposited before midnight of the day the succeeding series closes. They must be filled out legibly, with full name of teacher, school where employed, town and county. They should be kept in good condition and each ballot not rolled or crumpled. If torn or mutilated they will not be counted.

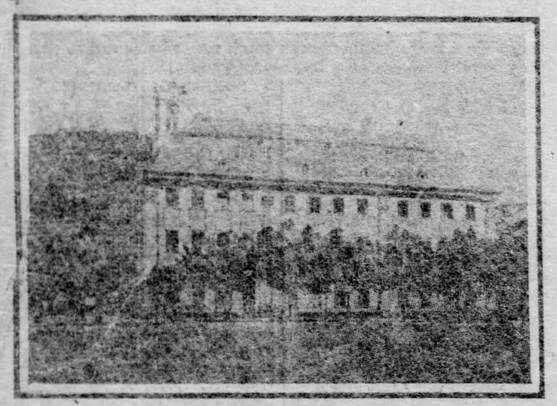
The tour will be of more than six weeks' duration. Sails at Pittsburgh July 3, leaves New York July 5, by Atlantic transport line steamer; arrives London July 15; Antwerp, July 15; Brussels, July 20; Amsterdam, July 22; Cologne, July 24; Mayence, July 25; Heidelberg, July 26; Lucerne, July 28; The Rigi, July 29; Interlaken, July 30; Paris, August 1; London, August 6; Highlands, August 7; Glasgow, August 8; leave Glasgow by Anchor Line steamer Columbia, August 9; expect to arrive New York, August 17.

Who Will Be Taken.

The party will be composed of 25 teachers of the public schools, i. e., persons engaged in teaching in schools supported by public funds. These will be apportioned as follows: Twelve from the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, six from Allegheny county outside of the two cities, and seven from those parts of Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia outside of Allegheny county, but within the territory covered by the daily deliveries of The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph. The ... cities of the reporters of these papers. Those having the largest votes in their respective divisions will be declared elected.

All expenses of the tour will be borne by The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph, and these papers will give each member of the party $50 in cash to gratify individual tastes. Representatives of these papers will accompany the party to arrange routes, and look after the comfort of the guests.

The contest will close May 31, and the result will be announced as soon after all of the votes are in on June 15, as possible. Ballots from The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph will count one vote each, and those from The Sunday Gazette will count for three votes each. The ballot will be found at the top of the second page in each issue, and attention is directed to the terms and conditions printed thereon. The whole ballot, including border, must be sent in.



HEIDELBERG UNIVERSITY.

This is the famous German school, about equally noted for its scientific courses and its students' dueling. It will be visited by the teachers who will tour Europe next summer as guests of The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph.

Lent Goes With Union Steel Co.

John F. Lent, Jr., who for three years has been commercial agent of the Pere Marquette railroad in this city, today becomes traffic manager of the Union Steel Company, which has an extensive plant at Donora. He will be succeeded with the railroad company by F. A. Butterworth, until now commercial agent of the Pere Marquette at Minneapolis. Mr. Lent is a graduate of the local division freight agency of the Panhandle under James Means. He was with the Panhandle for nine years from 1889 to 1898, leaving that office to become chief clerk to J. J. Koch, division freight agent of the Ft. Wayne. From the Ft. Wayne he went with the Pere Marquette.

Annual Meeting of Vandalia.

The annual meeting of the Vandalia was held yesterday at Greencastle, Ill., the town stipulated in the charter of the road. Present from Pittsburgh were Third Vice President J. J. Turner, Fourth Vice President E. B. Taylor, and Secretary S. B. Liggett of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburgh who are also officials of the Vandalia. The meeting yesterday is probably the last of its kind. Before another year passes the famous $1,000,000 suit of the State of Indiana against the road will likely have been settled out way or the other, when the road will be made an integral part of the Pennsylvania system.

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News of Interest from the Railroads

NEW OFFICERS NAMED FOR THE BROTHERHOOD

Rearrangement of the Districts of the Railway Employes' Organization Has Resulted.

Several changes in the eastern organization of the Brotherhood of Railway Employes have come out of the action of V. C. Jordan, acting vice president of the Columbus district, in the switchmen's strike.

The headquarters of the Columbus district have been in this city. That district will now be quartered: The acting vice president at Pittsburgh will have charge of the state of Pennsylvania. William H. McCreary, late of the local freight office of the Baltimore & Ohio, and secretary to Jordan during the latter's stay here, has been appointed to the position. S. H. Gould, a baggagemaster on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston, has been appointed acting vice president in charge of Ohio affairs, with headquarters at Pittsburgh. F. W. Forsting, an old conductor, has been given the same title, with authority over matters at New York city and within a radius of 30 miles thereabout. In addition another acting vice president has been appointed with headquarters at Schenectady, N. Y., who will have charge of all New York state outside of Forsting's jurisdiction.

"There are now between 300 and 500 members in and around Pittsburgh," Mr. McCreary said yesterday. "The figures given by Jordan for local membership were higher than the true ones. His actions here hurt the brotherhood. We are going to go ahead vigorously now with our campaign for more members. The other brotherheds are all fighting us because they know we are gaining on them. railroad men of any class of employment being eligible to membership. The brotherhood will be one year old the latter part of this month. It has already 60,000 members."

New Lake Erie Yards.

Chief Engineer J. A. Atwood of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie announced yesterday that plans are being prepared for new yards for that company at New Castle Junction. About 20 acres of ground will be given to the extension of the present yards there, allowing about 15 miles of track. The capacity of the yards will be nearly 1,000 cars a day. The new yards will be divided into three parts, eastbound, westbound and local. They will be so built that all the movements of cars in shifting will be toward their destination, northbound and southbound tracks being arranged separately. The cost of the new yards will be about $150,000. The contracts are not yet let.

ORDERS PLACED FOR 12,000 TONS OF RAILS

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The San Pedro, Los Angeles & Salt Lake Railroad Company, Senator William Clark's aggressive project, has placed an order with the Carnegie Steel Company for 12,000 tons of rails to be used in the extension of the company's line. This order is one of the results of the increase of $1,000,000 in the assets of the company last week when the members of the Clark syndicate put up the amount themselves without an increase in capital stock or a bond issue. It is said the rails will be used on the Los Angeles end of the line, where considerable track is already laid. There are many more orders for steel to come to this territory from the long new line.

Says Pitcairn Was Sane.

Judge R. S. Frazer finished the hearing in the equity case of Walter M. Gill against R. V. Pitcairn, committee of Albert Pitcairn, a lunatic, an action to release certain lots under a mortgage given by Albert Pitcairn, it having been contended that this could be done under an agreement. The plaintiff claims he understood the $11,500 on the mortgage was advanced by the Armenth Insurance Company. It was contended that Albert Pitcairn was a lunatic at the time the mortgage was executed and that the latter was deceived as the property is not worth $5,000. Gill, when placed on the stand, said he considered Albert Pitcairn a shrewd business man, and sane at the time of the transaction. The court took the papers.

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Lot of 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 All-Wool Waistings—Henriettas, Albatross and Finetta Cloth in wool and silk embroidered dots and figures; Clearance Price, per yard..... 49c

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Rough Hockey Was Roundly Hissed

ROUGH HOCKEY AND A VICTORY FOR P. A. C.

Former Champions Outclassed the Bankers by a Score of 5 to 1.

CROWD HISSED ROUGHNESS

Most of Second Half Given Over to Rough-and-Tumble Football Tactics—Sticks Used for Eyeopeners and Rib Jostlers.

Hockey Standing

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Keystone	3	2	.600
Bankers	3	3	.500
P. A. C.	2	4	.334

In the roughest league game of the season the champion P. A. C. skaters took a fresh lease of life last night and signally defeated the Bankers by a score of 5 to 1. The playing, especially in the second half by the red and white players, was unnecessarily and unpardonably rough, and never before at a local hockey contest did the spectators show their disapproval by hisses, growls and hoots. For the greater part of the second half the contest more nearly resembled a new style of football or a battle royal than anything else.

While the P. A. C. skaters were by far the most noticeable in their rough efforts the money handlers knew how to come back good and proper and often.

Curtain and Smith the Leaders.

There were two P. A. C. players in Smith and Curtin, however, who were at least more open in their efforts, and were applauded by the crowd. Curtin seemed to forget that he was playing hockey in his wild efforts to hurl his swordopolis against members of the opposing team. A Banker was a Banker to Jerry, no matter what the play was, and it is a question whether for a part of the second half he was aware that there was such a thing as a puck figuring in the contest.

Curtin's efforts were far from all principles of hockey and the use of the stick by Smith was far more calculated to do serious injury. The handle was plainly observed to get one player in the neck at one time, while the front end caught another in the mouth.

Sticks Used for All Purposes.

Both teams used the sticks for tripping to an unpardonable extent, and there was a time during the second half when the game might very wisely have been called to give the two teams a chance to cool down and realize that hockey and not personal encounters of strength and wrestling skill are wanted by the spectators.

What made the rough playing the more unedified for was that P. A. C. was playing its best hockey of the season when the cleaner style of game was in vogue. The team work of the winners in the first half was good and the many friends of P. A. C. in the gardens were delighted at the showing and complete reversal of form. Then came rough play and attempts at pure individualism and many of those same friends became disgusted.

The Bankers Handicapped.

The losers were handicapped by the absence of Howard and the further weakening of their defense by the taking of Harrison up to wing.

Reynor, Shields and Robinson netted star games for P. A. C. but Reynor was the one who drew applause time and again for his ready and strong shots from almost any quarter of the ice. None of them landed but they were pretty to see. During the time team play was not a forgotten art. Richardson played a star goal for the Bankers, but the rest of the defense was lamentably weak and several of the winners' goals should never have gone in.

The first goal was scored by Reynor five minutes after the start. Hamilton took the puck down and passed directly in front but a few feet from the net. Reynor jabbed the rubber and went along with it into the net.

But two minutes later a beautiful long, hard shot of Smith's was stopped by Richardson's clever work and cleared to the left. Reynor was there and sent it in.

The Scorching Second Half.

A minute after the start of the second half Robinson shot a goal, receiving the puck from Reynor. Scarcely a minute later Reynor got the rubber from Smith and made the count 3 to 0. But two minutes intervened when Shields got from Smith and shot from the left of the net.

The last goal and the solitary one for the Bankers was very spectacular. Campbell after being tripped by Hamilton right in front of the net, passed the puck while lying prone on the ice. The score was disputed on account of the referee's whistle having blown but P. A. C. had the game and were satisfied. The line-up:

Bankers—I.		P. A. C.—S.
Lamb	Goal	Richardson
Hamilton	Point	Russell
Curtin	Cover Point	Paynister
Reynor	Center	Parker
Robinson	Forward	Campbell
Shields	Left Wing	Henderson
Smith	Right Wing	Hill

Referee—Phalen. Goal Judge—Garrett and Holt. Goals—Reynor, 3; Robinson, 1; Shields, 1; Campbell, 1. Benched for rough playing—Curtin and Campbell, Hamilton and Smith.

FACTS TO COME OUT.

A. G. Spalding Notified Nick Young To Publish Minutes and It Will Be Done.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—A. G. Spalding sent a telegram today to N. E. Young, Washington calling on him to have published an exact copy of the stenographer's report of the meeting of the National Baseball league held here recently. The telegram said this had become necessary owing to the conflicting reports of what had occurred at the meeting.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Mr. Young said tonight that he expected to send to the printer tomorrow the stenographer's notes of the last meeting of the league and soon will be in a position to furnish a copy of the report to the magnates desiring it. Heretofore it has not been the practice of the president to have the reports of the league's meetings printed. The last meeting of the organization, however, was of an unusual character. Mr. Young says he presumes those persons desiring a copy of the report want it for the purpose of obtaining an accurate information of what occurred in view of the published conflicting statements.

Mr. Spalding, who is one of those wanting a copy, was not at the league meeting up to the time the split occurred.

GOOD BALL TEAM.

Wash.-Jeff. Has Plenty of Fine Baseball Material.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Great activity is evident in baseball circles at W. and J. college. For some time W. and J. has not been represented by a good team, and interest ran low. Now Manager W. B. Stevenson of the local team is arranging a schedule that will be first-class. Many good men are candidates for positions, among them being Moore, from Kishimineta; Boyd, from Linsley Institute, at Wheeling; McGregor, from the University of Virginia, and others now attending school here. A coach will also be secured for the varsity team. Communication has been going on with Charles Nesbit, the famous southpaw twirler of the '97 baseball team, and it is likely he will be here early in the season to give instructions in pitching. A schedule is almost completed. All the best teams in Ohio, West Virginia and Pennsylvania will be played and a series of games with Waynesburg college will be scheduled for the championship of Southwestern Pennsylvania. The season will open in April.

HICKEY GIVEN SEVERE SCORING

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION LEADER IS DENOUNCED.

President Powers and Other Minor League Leaders Assert That Western Man Is an Outlaw—Beall of Minneapolis, Fired from the League.

KANSAS CITY, MO., Jan. 14.—With President James Whitfield in the chair the Western league held its first open session of the present meeting this afternoon.

P. T. Powers, president of the National association of minor leagues, was presented and addressed the meeting. Previous to the meeting of the Western league a conference attended by President Powers and other members of the National association and President Whitfield had been held, at which it was decided that the National association should remain loyal to the Western league in its fight with the American association, giving the Western league financial aid if necessary and moral support at all times. In his address President Powers reiterated this sentiment and formally pledged the support of his association to the Western league.

Powers Talked About Hickey.

President Powers gave a history of the progress made by his organization since the New York meeting last October. He took occasion to denounce Thomas J. Hickey, former president of the Western league, who, he said, had attended that gathering and pledged his support to the National association. He said that since then Hickey had proven himself a traitor and ridiculed Hickey's statement that the American association could become a member of the National association of minor leagues. President Powers assured his hearers that players in his association would be penalized and that every man who fails to show up with his club at the beginning of the season would be fined and that no individual club would be permitted to reinstate him.

J. H. Farrell, president of the New York state league and secretary of the National association of minor leagues, followed, and, after scoring Hickey, indorsed President Powers' pledge of support to the Western league. He announced that there were now 15 leagues in the National association.

M. H. Sexton, president of the Three I's league and chairman of the National board of arbitration, spoke along the same lines as Powers and Farrell.

Beall Given the Bounce.

Then came a surprise, when Thomas F. Burns of Colorado Springs made a motion that A. B. Beall of Minneapolis be expelled from membership in the Western league. No charges were preferred, but the motion was seconded and immediately carried by an unanimous vote. Mr. Beall arose to speak, but was promptly declared out of order and his privilege was denied by President Whitfield. Beall left the meeting. Later, President Whitfield stated that the charge against Beall was that of aiding the opposition league by transferring his Minneapolis park and improvements to George Tebeau of the American association.

A committee on circuit, consisting of Messrs. Van Brunt, Manning, Rourke and Burns, was appointed.

IROQUOIS TEAM NAMED.

I. P. Ittel Will Lead the Rifle Experts Against the British Shooters.

Preparations are progressing for the competition between British and American rifle shots to take place in this city at an early date. At a meeting of the Iroquois Rifle club on Monday night the team was selected which will meet the five marksmen who will represent the British Wesinghouse club on the other hand. The team selected was as follows: I. P. Ittel, C. L. Hertig, D. L. Aber, H. B. Pierce and R. R. Rahm. Ittel, the club champion, is one of the best shots in the United States. The others are all expert and the Iroquois members feel that the five selected can handle the English challengers, no matter how expert they may be.

The date has not yet been determined upon nor have the British selected their men, but will be decided soon, as several of the shooters leave to work for the new Westinghouse works being completed in England.

The rules of the match provide that half be shot on the magnificent new range of the Iroquois club, Jane street, South Side, and that the other half be shot on the British Westinghouse range in Wilkinsburg. The standard American target will be used for the South Side and and the Iroquois rifles with globe sights exclusively, while the English "magpie" target and the Englishmen's rifles with open sights will be used at the Wilkinsburg end.

CARL WILLIAMS COACH.

Famous Quarterback Will Have a Fine Corps of Assistants to Handle the Pennsy Players.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 14.—Announcement was made tonight that Carl Williams, one of the University of Pennsylvania's former well-known football players, will be chosen head coach of the football squad for the coming season by the athletic directors at its meeting next week. John Minds, Albert Bull and either Samuel Boyle or J. B. Carnett, all former Pennsylvania players, will be appointed as paid assistants. Three or four other graduates will also assist in coaching the ball squad, but they will receive no salary. It is understood that Williams will have general charge of the men and of the team work, but his authority will not be so absolute as that of former Coach George Woodruff.

NEW BALL PARK.

Mt. Pleasant Will Have One and a Fine Team.

MT. PLEASANT, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—If the plans of the local baseball promoters materialize, this town will be represented by a first class ball team for the coming season. Baseball in this town has always been popular and the games have been largely attended, but has not been a success financially, owing to the lack of enclosed grounds, the present park is situated in the center of town, and to have the field inclosed is the only way to make the sport a paying one. A well-known business man of this place, who is at the head of the new movement, said today that it was not only the intention to have the park enclosed, but an effort will be made to secure a team that will be able to compete with the leading clubs of Western Pennsylvania, and that the town would be represented in the proposed county league, if the latter is a go.

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TWENTY TO ONE SHOT PROVED THE WINNER

J. Boggs Was the Good Thing at Oakland in Handicap Event.

CAPTURED RACE BY HEAD

Came Up from Behind and Got Under Wire Just in Time—Position Will Have to Do More Consistent Racing in the Future.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Long-priced horses were successful at Oakland today, only two favorites passing the judges in front. The surprise of the afternoon was the victory of J. Boggs, a 20 to 1 shot, in the Reliance handicap. He came from behind and beat Frank Bell a head. Constellator was third. Headwater, the favorite, got away well enough, but did not display much speed. The third race was taken by Lizzie Rice, a filly that made her first appearance today. She was well played and led all the way, winning from Venecia and Adirondack. Hoan pulled Hudson, the favorite, up at the start. He also did the same thing with Rubius in the preceding race and Starter Dwyer suspended him for a week. Senator Matts won the opening race, at odds of 10 to 1, and Pat Morrissey at 6 to 1 led all the way in the mile and 100 yards race.

Position's Owner Reprimanded.

The stewards, after investigating the last two races of Position today, reprimanded Owner Fountain and informed him that a repetition of inconsistent races would result in his stable being ordered from the track.

First race, mile, selling—Senator Matts, 106, Mounce, 10 to 1, won; Mont Eagle, 111, Pullman, 10 to 1, second; Plead, 104, Rausch, 2½ to 1, third. Time, 1:41⅘. Nellie Forest, Meraps, Mallakwa, Gibraltar and Invictus ran.

Second race, three-quarters mile, selling—Colonial Girl, 109, O'Connor, 2½ to 1, won; Jerrettierre D'Or, 109, Mounce, 2 to 1, second; Rublus, 105, Hoar, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:13⅗. Commissioner, Forster, Tanguemont, Lou Welsea, Torso, Maid, Kill Do ran.

Third race, seven-sixteenths, selling—Lizzie Rice, 105, L. Jackson, 2½ to 1, won; Venecia, 97, Ransom, 8 to 1, second; Adirondack, 103, Rausch, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:03⅘. Commissioner, Forester, Tanguemont, Lou Welsea, Torso, Maid, Kill Do ran.

Third race, seven-sixteenths, selling—Lizzie Rice, 105, L. Jackson, 2½ to 1, won; Venecia, 97, Ransom, 8 to 1, second; Adirondack, 103, Rausch, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:03⅘. Commissioner, Forester, Tanguemont, Lou Welsea, Torso, Maid, Kill Do ran.

Fourth race, futurity course, handicap—J. Boggs, 99, J. Daly, 20 to 1, won; Frank Bell, 109, Mounce, 6 to 1, second; Constellator, 112, J. Woods, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:13. Jeanie, Kenilworth, Rey Dare, Headwater ran.

Fifth race, mile and 100 yards, selling—Pat Morrissey, 109, J. Mathews, 6 to 1, won; Bragg, 96, Ransch, 7 to 5, second; Picador, 111, Troxler, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:49⅗. Meliarth, Sylvan Lass, Tyranus, Castake and Rushfields ran.

Sixth race, seven-eighths mile, selling—Coming event, 117, Mounce, 2½ to 1, won; King Dollis, 122, Bullman, 3½ to 1, second; Sir Lewis, 104, J. Daly, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:28⅘. Marie Bell, Sir Florian, Add, Monte Rimyar, Gesson and Weird ran.

Tomorrow's entries.

First race, futurity course, selling—Onyx, 121, Arte, 117; Nettie Clark, Blanche Shepard, Afghan, 112; Go Out, 120; Marschal Nell, 123; Gawaine, 118; Ida Lette, 111; Triadriva, 115.

Second race, seven-sixteenths mile—Imp Someces, Griffonier, Offcem, 113; Thadeus, Estreisada, Mireima, 110.

Third race, three-quarters mile, selling—Sir Hampton, 110, February, Tower of Candles, Tommy Tad, Abe, Cuban Girl, Pupil, The Miller, Maff Hogan, 107; Rollick, St. Rica, 104.

Fourth race, mile and sixteenth, handicap—Josie G., 108, Edgarde, 95; Water Pure, 102.

Fifth race, seven-eighths mile, Harry Thatcher, The Pride, William A., 104; Bathos, Beau Ormonde, 107; May W., 102; Sly, 102; Malin Bell, 89, Rasp, 104; Dean Swift, 98; Vesuvian, The Fretter, 112.

Sixth race, mile, selling—Decoy, Kitty Kelly, 111; Mission, McNamara, M. L. Rothschild, Ishtar, 109; Milas, 100; Wyoming, 113; Cauthvate, 102; Snowberry, 87; Commissioner Forester, 98; Goldone, 112.

THE NEW ORLEANS RACES.

Only Two Favorites Could Get to the Front.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 14.—Homage and Lady Alberta were the winning favorites today. Weather clear, track fast. Summary:

First race, mile and 70 yards, selling—Homage, 106, J. Miller, 6 to 1, won; Late Line, 104, Brennan, 40 to 1, second; Arizona, 99, Rice, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:46⅘. Panama Maid, Dramburg, Lord Toward, Lydia S., Juanotta, Roquish and Van Hoorebeke ran.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Lady Alberta, 100, Lyne, 2 to 1, won; Chotmaster, 107, Coburn, 4 to 1, second; Beauty Rose, 108, Slack, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:14. Sand Fisa, The Messenger, Money Back, Churchill, Somersault, Flora McKinsey, Brown Queen, Easter Time and Trossman ran.

Third race, mile and 70 yards, selling—Radford, 109, Robertson, 8 to 1, won; Choice, 111, J. Winkfield, 2½ to 1, second; St. Wood, 110, Landry, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:46. Crimson Coin, Commissioner Forester, Tanguemont, Lou Welsea, Torso, Maid, Kill Do ran.

Fourth race, nine-sixteenths, handicap—Johnny Mc, 97, R. Miller, 10 to 1, won; Jeanie, 90, Louden, 8 to 1, second; Andes, 100, T. Dean, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:49⅘. Grantor, Last Lion and Alfonso ran.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Imte's Queen, 96, Boyd, 7 to 1, won; Free Admission, 106, Blake, 4 to 1, second; Memo, 108, Coburn, 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:48⅗. Little Tim, Annie Thompson, Deloraine, Zack H., Phelps, Laura's First, Randella ran.

Sixth race, seven-eighths mile, selling—Coming event, 117, Mounce, 2½ to 1, won; King Dollis, 122, Bullman, 3½ to 1, second; Sir Lewis, 104, J. Daly, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:28⅘. Marie Bell, Sir Florian, Add, Monte Rimyar, Gesson and Weird ran.

Tomorrow's entries.

First race, mile, selling—Leesja, 93; King Tarlux, 95; Joe Collins, 104; Haldee, 107; Masterful, 109; Maple, Campus, Lillian Reed, 110; Sam Lazarus, Hop Scotch, 112; Royal Sterling, Wood Trice, 115.

Second race, 6½ furlongs, selling—Hercules, 93; The Fashion Debenture, 96; Ben Hullum, 97; Josie F., Blue Ridge, 99; Kingcrest, Missile, 101; Brewer Schorr, 105; Lukgo, 107; Siphon, 108; Ernest Pacham, 111.

Third race, steeplechase, short course, handicap—Harvey P., 131; Hilma, Mr. Rose, 132; Divertisement, 134; Faiella, Princess Murphy, Coley, 135; Gould, 142.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles, handicap—Reseda, 90; Silver Cord, 97; Little Elsie, 98; Ben Chance, 101; Death, 119.

Fifth race, handicap, 5½ furlongs—Ogle, Myrtle Van, 92; May Violet, 93; Billy Underwood, 95; Bingo Davis, 100; Psychology, 102; Coinage, 102; Carl Kahler, Little Jack Horner, 112; Semicolon, 118.

Sixth race, 1 miles, selling—Jackanapes, 92; Dandy, 95; Waterhouse, 97; Azlee, 100; Sir Fitzhugh, Admetus, 100; Judge Steadman, Major Mansir, 105; Beana, 106.

GIVES IN TO YALE.

Harvard Will Not Insist on Three-Mile 'Varsity Race.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Manager Schwenk says that Harvard will not insist on a three-mile course in the 'varsity race with Yale this year. Captain Bullard of the 'varsity crew has just returned from a trip to New Haven, where he talked over the coming race with Capt. Phil Kunzig of the Yale crew.

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In Some of the Concerns Radical Changes Were Made, but the Majority Re-Elected the Members of the Old Boards for the Ensuing Year.

The annual meeting of the banks of Pittsburgh and Allegheny were held yesterday when directors were elected. In nearly all cases the old boards were returned and few changes were made outside of vacancies caused by the deaths or resignations of former directors. The Federal National bank held its first election yesterday.

The following are the results of the annual election at the various banks and financial institutions:

Allegheny National—John Caldwell, Jr., Joshua Rhodes, Walter Chess, William Stewart, Thomas Evans, W. Montgomery, D. S. McCabe, Robert McAfee and William R. Latshaw.

First National—Charles E. Speer, Thomas Williamson, W. Harry Brown, W. S. Wunsch, W. S. Rubb, F. L. Robbins, Charles A. Painter, James Laughlin, Jr., James McCrea, Charles Donnelly, F. H. Golding.

South American Savings Company—President, Daniel Caldwell; vice presidents, Francis M. Torrance, Xavier Williams, J. W. Walker; secretary and treasurer, W. S. Fraser; directors, W. M. Caird, Francis J. Torrance, Xavier Williams, J. W. Walker, Owen McGarvey, W. H. Mitchell, J. W. Chesbrough, David Dodds, C. L. H. S. Craig, H. C. Bair and R. C. Weaver.

Exchange National—Mark W. Watson, Frank B. Bicell, Calvin Wells, James W. Brown, John Moorhead, Jr., Albert H. Childs, Edward B. Scott, Andrew Long, Louis W. Dalzell, James W. Scully, John A. Speer, J. W. Mares and P. T. F. Lovejoy.

Farmers' Deposit National—T. H. Hoen, Hay Walker, Jr., James H. Reed, O. C. Neal, Joseph Walker, W. Dalton and Joseph A. Herron. The old board was re-elected. Joseph Herron had been appointed late in the year to fill a vacancy caused by the death of A. L. Magee.

Mutual National—Allison W. O'Neil, T. J. Word, George C. Burgwin, F. Lenhammitter, Samuel R. Wilson, George M. von Bonnhorst, Harvey L. Childs, H. D. Newell and George M. von Bonnhorst, Jr.

German National—Frederick W. Hoffstot, J. W. Friend, William Semple, Snyder, W. H. Seiwell, John Hello, H. J. Lynch and C. W. Friend.

Workingmen's Savings Bank and Trust Company, Allegheny—Joseph Lautner, C. G. Hatz, H. E. Hardtmeyer, William Zoller, William P. McNeil, Thomas M. Reed, Christian Zies, Emil Winter and John L. Buerkle.

First National, Allegheny—John Thompson, C. C. Dahle, C. F. Nevin, Thomas M. Hutchison, Robert Pitcairn, Thomas H. Bidney, Jr., William G. Reed, Fred Gwinner, Jr., and E. D. Gerwig.

Second National, Allegheny—George P. Lange, Clendenning, A. Aiken, J. N. Davidson, Samuel Grier, William Witherow and D. Hendrie.

Third National, Allegheny—E. H. Boggs, Samuel McKnight, W. L. McCurdy, W. S. McKinney, Robert Pitcairn, J. W. Dilworth, Anton Lutz, John Sauers and H. A. Spangler.

Enterprise National, Allegheny—Fred Gwinner, C. John Schilling, James P. McKinney, C. F. Meyer, Henry Kleingraff, A. P. Schwartz, D. Morrison, W. T. Bradberry and E. B. Smith.

Bilhop Reformed Savings, Washington avenue—Harry Moore, Fisher, Frederick Fichtel, Charles Ott, Jacob Kubler, Lewis H. Frederick, Andrew Tack, George A. Ruhl, Charles F. Barr, William J. Payne and Henry Beuschel.

Citizens National—George A. Berry, H. C. Bughman, Robert Pitcairn, Willis L. King, W. S. McKinney, Frank B. Smith, A. M. Jenkinson, A. R. Fraser, S. M. McElroy.

Safe Deposit & Trust Company—A. F. W. Painter, Thomas Wightman, William P. Thompson, James Laughlin, Jr., W. K. Shiras, A. L. McClintock, W. K. Lloyd, J. D. Lloyd, George E. Painter.

Merchants & Manufacturers National—P. M. Ferguson, George A. Kelly, H. Sellers, Melford Jones, Robert Bruford, John Caldwell, Albert J. Logan, W. S. Challenberger, H. M. Brackenridge, Wilson A. Shaw.

Peoples National—A. E. W. Painter, B. F. Jones, D. McK. Lloyd, J. D. Lloyd, George C. Davis, Charles H. Spang, D. R. Park, Henry Chalfant, Robert Wardrop.

Union National—R. S. Smith, Addison Lysle, Thomas M. Armstrong, Adam Wilson, John N. Wilson, Durbin Horne, John R. McCune, William M. Rees, Johns McClure.

Mechanics' National—George J. Gorman, Wilson Miller, James S. Kuhn, W. W. Rodgers, Samuel Hamilton, William Hill, Francis J. Torrance, H. Buhl, Jr., Thomas B. Rater.

Pennsylvania National, thirty-fourth and Butler streets—A. S. M. Morgan, D. E. Park, S. U. Harbison, J. S. Seaman, Jr., John L. M. Davis, Thomas McNeil, Joseph Shea and P. Shea.

National Bank of Western Pennsylvania—Charles McKnight, Frank Semple, Joseph Wood, D. P. Black, William W. Lawrence, O. G. Stewart, Henry C. Fownes, Otis H. Childs, George H. Pfaus, Joseph B. Shea and George S. Macrum.

East Pittsburgh National—John B. McGinley, John F. Miller, R. W. Morgan, J. R. Hamilton, Samuel Mansfield, J. Whitfield and John I. Rankin. The directors will meet Thursday and elect officers.

Oakland Bank, Oakland—William Loeb-ler, Charles E. Speer, Peter Shields, John P. Ford, Jesse J. Booth, C. H. Kerr, F. L. Porter, John Dinning and James J. Flaherty.

First National, McKees Rocks—Charles Holmes, John Fisher, Jr., Joseph Fisher, G. Schultz, C. M. Christianson, W. J. Wilson, David Shaw, J. E. Digby and E. C. Kirkman. The directors will organize on Friday.

German Savings and Deposit bank, South Side—Frederick Mack, Ferdinand Benz, Andrew Poff, Anton Kint, Charles E. Succop, John Siebert, Fred N. Sacky, C. F. Vallowe and J. E. Roth.

First National bank of Birmingham—H. S. McKee, James W. Scully, A. B. Stevenson, A. Ehrgott, D. McKee, F. Berg and Murry A. Verner.

First National bank of Verona—Capt. Robert D. Elwood, Frank Snilling, Henry Berg, William Wade, Alexander Thomas, Harry W. Armstrong, Kaufman Stuart, J. M. Witherspoon and Robert Black. Capt. Robert D. Elwood was elected president; Harry W. Armstrong, vice president; William B. Berger, cashier and F. W. Hughey, solicitor.

Metropolitan National, Forty-third and Butler streets—George W. Irwin, John Rumsey, Henry Daub, C. L. Placeus, J. M. Farver, Dr. M. C. Cameron, Joseph Byrne, C. F. Piers and Robert Ostermiller.

Monongahela National—James W. Grove, Theophilus Sproul, Christian G. Hatz, Andrew J. Armstrong, Alexander M. Speer, George M. Jones, Thomas J. Stevenson, Charles A. Jamison and John D. Fraser.

Second National, Pittsburgh—George B. Farrell, William Curry, Thomas D. Johnston, George H. Taylor, Robert D. Elwood, William H. Kemper, William McCleave, John R. McGinley, Jr., Edward P. Taylor and James R. Willock. The new directors are John R. McGinley and Edward P. Taylor.

Federal National—J. A. Langley, A. S. Bracken, Samuel Donaldson, J. H. Clark, W. P. Potter, J. H. Jones, F. B. Valentine, H. Peyton, Dinkler, R. D. McClintock, Justus Wallerstein, W. A. Roberts, W. Eisenhuth, John Murphy and J. R. Powell. The two latter are the new members.

Western savings and Deposit—John Dinning, Dan Pfeifel, R. R. Semmes, Julius Schmidt, Charles A. Moehlbronner, Frank Bergmann, L. Reinhauer, David R. Porterfield and Peter Hemmer.

Diamond National—William M. Heath, Charles Donnelly, W. A. Cheek, A. C. Weitendall, John Scully, William R. Dodgers, A. G. Barnett, Jacob Haehn, G. W. Crawford and John W. Beddingfield.

German National, Pittsburgh—F. H. Myers, Leopold Villaret, L. S. Mehaffie, R. F. Fraunheim, Theodore Ha vette, T. W. Phillips, John F. Dilg, Charles A. Fagan, Charles A. Muehlbronner.

Lincoln National—Charles E. McLean, Harry P. Dilworth, William C. King, William Watson, James C. Watson, J. Albert Evans, George A. McCandless, Alfred R. Nevb and Edward H. Gay.

Duquesne National—Edwin Gerlach, James McKay, John Mundell, John Bindley, George Wilson, Thomas Bell, Robert Hugh Moran, John Bindley, Jr., Robert Mundell and Willis F. McNair.

Columbia National—L. H. Prentice, F. J. Osser, F. A. Kloeb, W. P. Anderson, C. H. Stolzenbach, Joshua W. Bindley, W. H. Nelson W. T. Humphreys, P. A. Griffin, W. C. Humphreys (the only new director elected).

Iron City National—Samuel Lindsay, Jr., W. N. Frew, John C. Steenberg, J. R. Ash, Joseph R. Woodwell, F. Holl, Ashley P. Gallagher, J. Fennelly, Jr., Arthur L. Frank, Dallas C. Ingersoll, George F. Wright, George T. Oliver and Hermon Griffin.

Pittsburgh National Bank of Commerce—Chairman, Samuel P. Bush; Andrew W. Mellon, J. W. Arndt, George H. Motheral, J. L. McGinley, W. L. Abbott, J. H. Lockhart, W. H. Keech, D. Cagley, Thomas Bakewell and W. Kerr.

United States National, Pittsburgh—Frederick Fisher, James M. Porter, William G. Foster, J. W. Shields, Frank Thomson, Robert Pitcairn, Jr., Thomas M. James H. Merchiebon, Frederick Ferncroft, Samuel R. Wilson and C. F. Schaefer.

Third National, Pittsburgh—John Dalzell, James T. Hamilton, John G. Hannon, Julius Bieler, F. E. Schmidt, Peter Kell, Alfred Hicks, Harry Miller and Gordon Russell.

Fifth National, Pittsburgh—J. B. Finley, A. C. Ross, George I. Wilson, F. L. Stephenson, Biddle Arthurs and Ralph Bagnall.

First (9th National—D. Lee Wilson, James M. Bailey, Samuel Ewart, John B. Barkley, I. Herbert Boatelle, Robert K. Wilson, George Wilson, Daniel H. Miller, National and William McCollough.

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National Bank of Tarentum—John W. Hemphill, W. M. Hopkins, H. M. Wheldin, C. C. Lang, R. A. Pearson, John Long, John V. Negley.

The Valley Trust Company—John P. Rush, W. C. Stuffelbeam, Reuben W. Hamilton Bruce, Carl C. Law, John A. Scott, W. J. Speer, William Harris, Joseph D. Vissell, Herman Helm, James F. Hyndman, Jr., D. L. Davis, W. J. Treadway, T. J. Easter, F. J. Loughney.

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THE THREE RIVERS.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 14.—River at 6 p. m., 11.3 feet and falling slowly. Clear and moderating rapidly. The flow of ice today was not quite so extensive as yesterday, but was of a much heavier character and interfered with navigation of up river packets. The City of Pittsburgh is expected at her wharf tonight. She will leave for Memphis tomorrow. Capt. Menges of the Brown elevator returned from a visit to his children in Pittsburgh today. On his arrival he learned of the wreck at Rising Sun and immediately left there to look after his company's interests. If the river falls much navigation at that point will be impeded as two of the coal boats sank in or very near the low water channel. The rafts which were on the barges will be saved. The steamer Ed Roberts is on the scene of the wreck straightening out the tows that are tied below the riffles and dyke. The Dave Wood has been sent to pull the Valiant off the Letart Falls. The Valiant is threatened with total destruction on account of the heavy ice.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; canal, 6.5 feet; falls, 4.1 feet; foot of locks, 10 feet. Business good. Weather clear and cool. Packets due that are in and out. The City of Pittsburgh passed up last night. The Charlotte Boeckler and tow are due up tonight. The Jim Wood got here with a part of her tow at noon from Cincinnati. Two are directly in the channel and the others on the lower dyke. The United States steamer General O. M. Poe is on the canal being undergoing repairs. Capt. William Devan of the life savers has gone to Buffalo to attend the life savers' convention.

POINT PLEASANT—River 6 feet, 6 inches and falling. Weather cold, and river partly full of heavy ice. Greenwood out from Charleston and laid up.

GALLIPOLIS—River 8 feet and falling fast. Weather clear and warmer.

GREENSBORO—River 7 feet 2 inches and falling. Closed. Fair and cold. Navigation suspended.

STEUBENVILLE—River 4 feet 2 inches and falling. Weather clear and cold. The Dave Wood on her way up with a tow of empties, tied up here, and the crew went to Pittsburgh.

PARKERSBURG—River 6.4 feet and falling. Weather clear and cold. River full of heavy ice, and no boats are bound.

WARREN—River 1 foot 3 inches. Weather fair and cold.

BROWNSVILLE—River 6 feet 3 inches and stationary. Weather clear and cold.

WHEELING—River 5 feet and falling. Clear and cold. Departed, Keystone state, Cincinnati, 4 p. m.; Ben Hur, Parkersburg, 9 a. m. Up with supplies, Tornado, one piece in front and two pieces behind.

MARIETTA—River 6 feet and falling. Pleasant. Keystone State down, 5 p. m.; Ben Hur, 9 p. m. Both will lay up by reason of ice and low water.

WANT A MARINE HOSPITAL.

Rivermen Left for Washington Last Night to Push Their Claims.

Capt. J. A. Clow and Capt. A. R. Mackey, delegates from Harbor No. 25, Masters and Pilots, to the annual convention of the National Association of Masters and Pilots which convenes today at Washington, D. C., left for there last night. While at the capital both men will have a conference with Congressman John Dalzell in reference to the establishment of a marine hospital at Pittsburgh.

Congressman Dalzell some time ago introduced a bill appropriating $100,000 for such a purpose and the bill will soon be considered. The Pittsburgh harbor took up the matter several years ago and hopes to be able to push it to a successful conclusion during the present session of congress. Pittsburgh is the only inland port of any consequence in the United States that has no marine hospital. The local association will also solicit the aid of the national association in reference to the matter. The local members believe that the Dalzell measure will pass.

Arrivals.

Edgar Cherry, Morgantown, W. Va.

Departures.

No departures; all packets laid up.

At Davis island dam last night at 9 o'clock the stage of water was 5 feet 6 inches and falling.

There will be a meeting of the members of Harbor No. 25, Masters and Pilots next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

The towboat Cruiser which has been receiving repairs to her wheel at Browns station will be ready for service today.

The little Kanawha is frozen up solid and everything along that river is stopped. The ferry boat at Parkersburg is still running, but with great difficulty.

Hooks and other paraphernalia was dispatched to Rising Sun by rail to be used in recovering the cargo of rails struck there by the towboat Jim Wood.

Theodore Poe has extended his time for the arrival of a barge stage of water one day, making the date January 19 instead. If his prediction comes true there will be good water in the Ohio river next Sunday.

The packets operating in the short trades down the Ohio river have been forced to the bank on account of the ice. The Allegheny is now full of it thickening and that running into the Ohio yesterday was very heavy.

The towboat Charlie Clarke is laid up at Browns station making repairs to her mud drum. The local steamboat inspectors will to-morrow inspect the Hornet No. 2 in place. The Hornet has been extensively repaired.

Capt. W. L. Sibert, the local government engineer, yesterday made a trip to Lock No. 4 on the Monongahela river to look after repairs being made to the small lock which is closed to navigation. Both locks 3 and 4 are now open to traffic.

The towboat H. F. Bebble is on the way to Cincinnati and as soon as her repairs are completed the crew of the Jim Wood will be sent to her.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN the court of common pleas No. 2 of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at No. 62 April term, 1902. To Mary E. Fox, wife of Mary E. Fox, one of the legal representatives, or whoever may be the legal representative of the mortgagor hereinafter mentioned: Take notice, that on January 31, 1902, John Arvin, executor of the last will and testament of Thomas McKeesport, deceased, presented to this court his petition and rule thereon, to wit, and it is now ordered and directed as follows, to wit: Duffington at a site on the line of the New York & Cleveland Gas and Coal Company, as the latter's operations are now located, thence along the latter's operations and lands, south 72 degrees and 30 minutes, west 17.54 perches to a pin in the center of Highland avenue; thence along the center line of said avenue, north 6 degrees 15 minutes, west 21.42 perches to a pin in the center of said avenue; thence leaving said avenue, 19.46 perches, north 30 degrees 30 minutes, west 10.00 perches; thence leaving said avenue and across the line of said lot No. 14, north 7 degrees, east 30.00 perches, to the line of said lot and company's land; thence along the line of same south 42 degrees 30 minutes, east 17.82 perches to the end of beginning, containing 2 acres and 21.42 perches.

That an unsatisfied mortgage upon said premises remains of record in the office of the recorder of deeds of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, in Mortgage Book Volume 1,784, page 54, from Thomas McKeesport, deceased, to Mary E. Fox, for Mary E. Fox, dated August 15, 1894, for five years, recorded in said office in mortgage book, volume 1,784, page 54, for $2,500, with interest, which sum of money over has elapsed since the principal of said mortgage became due and payable, and no payment has been made upon the same and interest, and default in payment for a long period of time, to the satisfaction thereof. Whereupon said court ordered that notice of said petition be served by the sheriff of said county on the known holders or owners of said mortgage, if to be found in said county, and if not found in said county and to whom to give public notice by advertisement requiring them to appear in said court on March 22, A. D. 1902, to show cause why said petition should not be granted, and said mortgage satisfied of record. William H. Haley, Esq., Sheriff of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania. No. 62 April term, 1902. 115wjs

ROTH & LINDSAY, Attorneys-at-Law, Richards building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the court of common pleas No. 2 of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at No. 261 March term, 1902, on Saturday, the 22d day of February, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., by Charles Atkinson, John Mitchell and George A. Magoun, under act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved the 29th day of April, A. D. 1874, and supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called The Thousand Glue Club of Manila, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, the purpose of which said corporation is formed are to promote a greater interest in and knowledge of the art and science of stalkology, specifically and generally, and to promote good fellowship and social intercourse in connection therewith, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and the supplements thereto. W. B. Rodgers, Solicitor for Applicants. 114wf

CLERK'S NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY—In the district court of the United States for the western district of Pennsylvania, John Hayward Kaust of Allegheny city, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, in bankrupt, under the act of congress of July 1, 1898, having applied for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said act, notice is hereby given to all known creditors and other persons in interest, to appear before the said court at Pittsburgh, in said district, on the 13th day of February, 1902, at 10 o'clock at the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. William T. Lindsay, Clerk. 114g

JOHN M. DUNN, Attorney-at-Law, Dilworth Law building, Pittsburgh, Pa. State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: In the court of common pleas No. 1, No. 405 September term, 1901. Mariana Gerold vs. Bentus Gerold. Libel in divorce a vinculo matrimonii. To Bentus Gerold, respondent. The subpoena and rule responsive to the above stated case having been returned non est inventus, you are hereby notified and required to appear in said court at common pleas No. 1, on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1902, to answer the petition and libel filed in said case. Wm. C. McKelvey, Sheriff. 112mh

BANKRUPTCY SALE.

The undersigned will receive at his office private bids up to and including January 25, 1902, for the entire stock of goods, consisting of dry goods, notions, clothing, boots and shoes, hats and caps, etc., belonging to the estate of Thomas Hamilton, bankrupt, Bridgeville, Pa. Said stock will be sold as a whole. Inventory can be seen at the office of the undersigned. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. Bridgeville, Pa., January 7, 1902.
JOHN M. KELLY, Trustee.

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MONEY to loan on mortgages.
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DIVIDENDS.

Western Insurance Securities Exchange,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 10, 1902.
DIVIDEND NO. 41.—The directors of this company have this day declared a dividend of FIVE DOLLARS AND SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS ($5.75) per share out of the profits of the company, payable on demand.
126th JAMES M. GALLAGHER, Secretary.

Office of Monongahela Insurance Co.,
No. 320 Fourth ave.,
Pittsburgh, Pa., January 7, 1902.
DIVIDEND—The president and directors of this company have this day declared a dividend of FIVE DOLLARS AND SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS ($5.75) per share on the capital stock, payable on demand.
126th JOHN H. CLARKE, Secretary.

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20 years in business in this city. Assemble a general real estate business. If you want to buy a house, lot, farm, &c., or exchange your property, borrow money at low interest or want plans for any brand house, or have an estimate of what some of your money would be invested in, or want to sell, no matter how small your business may be, see
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Room 2, 307 Fourth ave.
Bell 'phone 1570 Main.
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HOMEOPATHIC TREATMENT TO ALL.
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PROPOSALS.

NOTICE.
BIDS for the furnishing of material for constructing masonry building and foundation and erecting shop for locomotive department, Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, will be received at the office of the undersigned, Mount Clare station, Baltimore, Md., until 12 o'clock noon, January 20, 1902. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. Baltimore, Md., January 6, 1902.
WM. M. DUNCAN, Master Mechanic.

E. W. Harden's Daily New York Business Letter

THE CANADIANS COMPETING FOR STEEL TRAFFIC

Dominion Company Begins to Book Some Heavy American Orders.

CAUSE BILLET SCARCITY

Effect of Rivalry in Duller Times a Problem—Colorado Fuel and Iron Interested in the New Continental Trust Company in New York.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The extraordinary prosperity of the iron and steel industries in this country has attracted direct competition from Canada, and incidentally there has arisen a new and interesting problem for American manufacturers.

The Dominion Iron and Steel Company is the competitor. The demand on the part of American manufacturers for steel billets seems to have encouraged the Canadian company to seek an outlet here for its output of this product, and it has already booked some heavy orders in our market. It is said that the prices obtained show a comfortable margin of profit after the payment of duties.

Favorable Moment for Canadians.

In the present situation, of course, this Canadian competition is made possible only by the unusual scarcity of billets, which are now being quoted at Pittsburgh at $27.50 to $28 a ton. Six months ago quotations for billets were $23 a ton. Whether the Dominion Iron and Steel Company will be able to compete with domestic producers in periods of inactivity is a question American steel and iron interests are now asking themselves with more or less concern.

The Canadian company evidently is in this field to stay, having established offices at 100 Broadway. It is quite a pretentious institution, being capitalized at $20,000,000, of which amount of stock $18,000,000 has been issued. Its plants are located at Sidney, Cape Breton, where the company owns 700 acres of land. It also has acquired the properties of the Nova Scotia Steel Company, Wabana, Newfoundland. The plant now operates four blast furnaces and 400 coke ovens, besides blooming, rail and billet mills.

Assured of Fuel Supply.

The company began to produce steel only a few months ago. It has a contract with the Dominion Coal Company by which the latter agrees to supply fuel at $1.20 a ton up to 3,000,000 tons, and indefinite amounts in excess of that at an advance of 15 cents a ton. It also has an option good until 1903 to lease the property of the Dominion Coal Company at a rental equivalent to the latter's fixed charges and 5 per cent per annum of its capital stock.

The exportation of steel billets by the Dominion Iron and Steel Company to this market, together with the importation of similar products from Europe during the past several months, has given American producers something to think about. A considerable quantity of billets has been imported from Europe, and owing to the high prices prevailing here, English producers are able to realize reasonable profits on such exports. A majority of American concerns that produce billets use them in their own finishing mills.

Underwriting the New Trust Company.

The stockholders of the Continental Trust Company have been called upon to meet on the 20th of this month, formally to sanction an increase of capital stock from $500,000 to $1,000,000. It is proposed to sell the new stock to Blair & Co., bankers of New York and Chicago for $450 a share. This will be in the nature of an underwriting transaction, Blair & Co. undertaking to distribute the stock in the market.

This doubling of the capital stock of the Continental Trust Company is incidental to the appearance of new interests, to provide representation for whom it is intended to increase the directorate, or board of trustees, from 11 to 21. Blair & Co. will nominate the new trustees, three of whom will be Marshall Field, John J. Mitchell and F. A. Valentine of Chicago. There will be two members of the firm of Blair & Co. and five additional men from New York and vicinity.

Colorado Fuel and Iron Interests.

The precise significance of the appearance of Messrs. Mitchell and Valentine among the trustees, is not clear. They are representatives of the John W. Gates faction in Colorado Fuel & Iron. Blair & Co. who have undertaken to finance the bond issue, performed a similar service for the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company at the time of its recent stock issue, and in other ways are believed to be on very intimate terms with certain interests in this western steel and iron property.

No Transfer to Pittsburgh.

At the office of the Pressed Steel Car Company it was denied today that the Joliet plant had been sold, as reported. The plant there is in operation, as usual, and has orders on its books aggregating 17,000 cars. The report was that the company proposed to transfer this business to Pittsburgh and sell the Joliet plant.

The Grant Williams and Barker Company was incorporated in New Jersey today with a capital stock of $200,000. It proposes to manufacture iron and steel.

Manufacturer Brown Hopeful.

Archer Brown, of the iron and steel firm of Rogers, Brown & Co., left this city today for Chicago on a business mission. With regard to the iron situation he said before leaving that he did not believe there would be any concerted advance in the price of pig iron in the near future. "Manufacturers," said he "are working to keep prices at a reasonable level. The market is very firm. My business from Pittsburgh indicates that the acute stage of the car and locomotive famine is past. Considerable relief has been given by the railroad companies during the past two weeks."

Copper Hasn't Touched Bottom.

Several copper producing concerns that hitherto have been underselling the combine, withdrew from the market today and gave as their reason for doing so that copper now is selling at a lower price than actual trade conditions warrant. They propose to hold their product for the rise they expect to follow an understanding between the combine and independents.

While basic price for combine copper nominally fixed at about 11¾c for Lake, it is understood that the United States Metals Selling Company has been unable to work off any considerable amount of copper except at concessions. The Lewisohns have not quoted their copper, merely saying they will meet any price the independents might decide to make.

Trade experts and representatives of large independent copper producing companies agree in the statement that the fifth reduction, by the leading sheet metal, announced this week, has failed, as each preceding one failed, to stimulate consumption. The truth is that consumers in general seem less inclined to replenish their supplies than they were with copper selling between 16 and 17 cents. Indeed if there is anything that can carry copper still lower, it would be the remarkable indifference on the part of consumers. A number of competent authorities expect to see copper selling below 10 cents before the 1st of February.

No Signs of Agreement.

It is understood that no material progress has been made toward the harmonizing of copper-producing interests. There have been overtures, of course, but the actual situation remains unchanged. There was a report in the street today that the combine and its large competitors had arranged to get together next week and have their quarrel out, but this could not be confirmed. It becomes more and more apparent, however, that one side will soon have to yield, and that side is not likely to be the combine.

The present disastrous policy cannot go on for long. Scarcely anybody is making money at these prices, and would lose more if the market should go still lower.

Brass Makers Firm.

Brass manufacturing interests propose to continue prices in the present schedule during the remainder of this month, no matter what copper may do meantime. At least this is the unanimous expression heard today. At the offices of the Ansonia Brass and Copper Company it was said the new brass schedule, which becomes effective on the first of the year, was arranged only after the most careful consideration, and that the latest cut in the price of copper metal was not deemed sufficient warrant for any immediate change in brass prices.

Since the brass men got together here in New York and revised prices there have been two cuts in copper, and this in spite of the fact that brass interests were privately assured that copper prices would be maintained on a 13-cent basis for some time. The brass men were disconcerted, of course, by the subsequent declines, but their revision of prices was sufficiently comprehensive to cover them.

The brass schedule that became effective on January 2 noted a reduction in rolling sheet brass of 35 per cent on orders in excess of 100 pounds, 87½ per cent on high brass rods and a reduction of 3 cents a pound on seamless tubes. The price of copper also was reduced from the basic price of 21 cents to 18.

E. W. HARDEN.

IN THE MONEY MARKET.

Quotations on Commercial Paper at the Various Centers.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Close—Money on call steady at 3@3½ per cent; closed offered at 5 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4½@5½ per cent; sterling exchange heavy, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87 for demand and at $4 84½@4 84¾ for 60 days; posted rates, $4 85 and $4 88; commercial bills, $4 83¾@4 83¾; bar silver, 55⅝c; Mexican dollars, 44½c; government bonds steady; state bonds inactive; railroad bonds irregular.

PARIS, Jan. 14.—(4. P. M.)—Three per cent rentes, 100 francs 35 centimes for the account; exchange on London, 25 francs 12½ centimes for checks; 77.00.

BERLIN, Jan. 14.—Exchange on London, 20 marks 42½ pfgs for checks; discount rates, short bills, 2 per cent; three months' bills, 2½ per cent.

Available Supplies of Grain.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Special cable and telegraphic communications to Bradstreet's show the following changes in available supplies from last accounts:

Wheat, United States and Canada, east Rockies, decreased 1,328,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, increased 880,000 bushels; total supply, decreased 528,000 bushels. Corn, United States and Canada, east Rockies, decreased 72,000 bushels. Oats, United States and Canada east Rockies, decreased 422,000 bushels. Among the more important increases reported by Bradstreet's are those of 1,000,000 bushels in Manitoba, 200,000 bushels at Louisville and 80,000 bushels at Akron. The leading decreases are those of 1,000,000 bushels at northwestern interior elevators, 231,000 bushels at Chicago private elevators, 146,000 bushels at Portland, Me., 74,000 bushels at St. Joseph, 63,000 bushels at Milwaukee private elevators and 56,000 bushels at Depot Harbor.

The Treasury and the Banks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $3,190,099. Payment by banks to government, $3,048,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $826,000 paid by the government to banks. Total net payments by government to banks since Friday, $837,000, against $706,000 paid by banks to government for the corresponding period a week ago. No deposits were made by banks for payment at interior points. Total deposited since Friday, $40,000 against $450,000 for the same period a week ago. No gold was paid out on sight checks for payment at Pacific coast assay offices. Total paid since Friday, $11,441, against $12,910 for the same period a week ago.

MARKET NEWS HAS DECIDEDLY BEARISH TONE

Case Against Northern Securities Company a Depressing Influence.

MONEY LENDERS CAREFUL

Upset in Grain Markets the Direct Cause of Liquidation in Stocks. Proposed Bond Issue by Erie Railroad Causes Stock to Decline.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—There was considerable disturbance of speculative sentiment in the stock market today and the movement to sell gained increasing force. The weakness became rather acute in the final hour, when the heaviest selling of the day was done, and the market closed active and weak and generally at the lowest, net losses running all the way from 1 to 6 points for the principal stocks. There were some special causes of weakness of individual stocks, which affected the general market in sympathy to some extent, but the movement as a whole was due to general causes, which have been gaining an influence for several days past. All minor differences of interpretation over the standing of the case against the Northern Securities Company are sunk in the general consideration that the legality of the combination is to be submitted to determination by the courts and that the value of its securities are to be in abeyance during a probable prolonged litigation.

Matter of Great Importance.

The bearing of the decision in other combinations, not only those made but some others in contemplation, makes the decision of this case of vast importance to the whole securities market. The difficulties developed in the several industrial combinations which have suffered from impaired credit have given rise to a much more conservative spirit among lenders of money and buyers of security. Today's upset in the grain markets, resulting from over-commitments in speculation, brought some liquidation directly upon the stock market. Besides these general considerations Wall street had rumors that a new bond issue by the Erie Railroad Company was imminent and on these the stock of the company declined 1¼@2¾ points. The remark by President Thomas in the last annual report that "it would seem as though the day is now approaching when additional funds for capital can be profitably made," was regarded as a substantial basis for these rumors.

Cut in Sugar Prices.

The cut in the prices of refined sugars cost that specialty 4 points. There was noticeable weakness in a group of stocks in which there has been speculation on hope of dividend increases or on the beginning of dividends. There were fears that these hopes would be disappointed. The New York, Chicago & St. Louis stocks, the San Francisco, Lake Erie & Western, and Western Express might be included in this category. The specialties were heavily sold on continuing dissatisfaction over the debenture bond issue. Aside from these instances the selling was pretty well distributed. There was a period of some strength in the morning, led by Manhattan with a rise of 1½, but that stock fell with the rest of the market. Glucose rose 3¾, in the face of the general decline. Sterling exchange was somewhat easier, leading to the supposition that gold may not be exported, after all, this week, but the market was little affected by this development and by the liberal gains of cash on sub-treasury operations. The payment today of $2,000,000 in redemption of the Hawaiian loan, which was assumed by the United States, will accrue to the benefit of the market.

Active bonds weakened in sympathy with stocks, but some less active issues held early gains. Total sales par value $3,675,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

CLOSING PRICES OF BONDS.

U. S. reg. 2s. reg.	106¾	N. & N. unified 4s	100½
Do 2s, coup.	106¾	Mex. Central 4s..	82
Do 3s, reg.	107¾	Do 1st inc.	34
Do 3s, coup.	108¼	M. K. & T. 4s.	94
Do new 4s, reg.	139½	M. K. & T. 4s.	85
Do 4s, coup.	139½	Do 2ds.	82½
Do old 4s, reg.	111¾	N. Y. Cent. lsts.	102¾
Do old 4s, coup.	112¼	Do deb. 5s.	108
Do 5s, reg.	103¾	N. J. C. gen.	135¾
Do 5s, coup.	107½	Nor. Pacific 4s.	104¼
Atchison gen. 4s.	100¾	Do 3s.	74
Do adj. 4s.	98	N. & W. con. 4s.	97½
Balt. & Ohio 4s.	102	Reading Gen. 4s.	97¾
Do 3½s.	95	S. L. & I.M. con. 5s.	117
Do con. 4s.	104	St. L. & S. F. 4s.	95½
Canada So. 2ds.	105¾	St. L. & S. F. 6s.	120
Cent. of Ga. 5s.	107	Do 2ds.	73
Do 1st inc.	70½	S. A. & A. P. 4s.	87
C. & O. 4½s.	109¼	South. Pacific 4s.	89¼
C. M. & St. P. gen. 4s.	110	South. Railway 5s.	112¾
C. R. I. & P. 4s.	102¾	*Tex. & Pac. 1sts.	120
C. C. C. & S. L. g. 4s.	102	T., S. L. & W. 4s.	92½
Chicago Term. 4s.	87½	Union Pacific 4s.	104¾
Chi. Ter. Tr. 4s.	87½	Do conv. 4s.	105¼
D. & R. G. 4s.	101¾	Wabash 1sts.	118¾
Erie prior lien 4s.	99½	Do 2s.	114¼
Do gen. 4s.	80¾	West Shore 4s.	112¾
F. W. & D. C. 1sts.	105½	W. & L. E. 4s.	91¾
Hock. Val. 4½s.	108	Wiscon. Cent. 4s.	93¾
		Con. Tobacco 4s.	65¾

*Offered.

New York "Curb" Stocks.

Henry Sproul & Co. furnish the following closing bids of active stocks dealt in on the "curb," or outside the New York stock exchange:

Am. B. Leath.	6⅛	Otis Elevator pfd.	92¾
Do preferred.	75	Do com.	45
Bay State Gas.	5	Standard Oil.	645
Brit. Col. Copper	8⅝	Tenn. Copper.	12⅝
Brooklyn Ferry.	79	U. S. C. Pipe.	7¼
Elevated, pfd.	119	Do preferred.	30
Do preferred.	48	Union Copper.	2¼
Electric Vehicle.	2	Seaboard common.	25
Do preferred.	4	Do preferred.	48
Ferry Co.	13	Sherman Cas.	2
Havana Com'l.	12	Do preferred.	8
Do preferred.	47	Am. Ill. R. R.	37
N. Amster. Gas.	105½	Greene Copper.	11¼
N. Y. Biscuit.	127½	Wiss. Cent. pfd.	16
Otis Elevator.	28⅝	Standard Oil.	650@660

Express Stocks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14—Mining stocks closed:

Adams	105	United States	105
American	210	Wells Fargo	185

Electric Stocks.

BOSTON, Jan. 14—Electric stocks closed:

General Electric	276	Mass. Elec. pfd.	92½
Mass. Electric	22		

Chicago Stocks.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Stocks closed slow:

American Can.	14	Northwest. L. pfd.	88
Do preferred.	35	South Side	109
Mar. Harv.	104	Union Traction.	74
Diamond	44	West Chicago	80
Do preferred.	104½	Union Traction.	10
Lake St. L.	19¾	Do preferred.	47

WALL STREET FEATURES.

Total sales, 687,300 shares.

General decline runs from 1 to 6 points.

Sugar loses 3 points on account of cut by refiners.

Atchisons and Erles heavily sold, the latter on rumors of a bond issue.

Glucose gained 3¾.

Sterling exchange easier.

United States Steel common closed 41¾.

United States Steel preferred closed 93½.

NEW YORK PRICES.

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., 328 Fourth avenue, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago Board of trade.

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.
A., T. & S. F.	73⅝	74⅛	73⅛	73⅞	71400
Do preferred.	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾	12100
Am. Cotton Oil.					
Do preferred.					
Am. Sugar Ref.	120	121	117¾	118	46600
Do preferred.	113	113½	111	111½	
Am. Tobacco.	91¾	92	89¾	90	5000
Am. Locomotive.	41¾	42¼	41¾	42	1850
Do preferred.	91	91	91	91	1100
Am. Car Foundry.	29	29	28½	28½	400
Do preferred.	85½	85½	85½	85½	
American Coal.	55	55	55	55	41200
Atchison Pref.	93	93¼	92¾	93	700
Am. Steel & Wire.	44¾	45¼	44¾	44¾	4000
Do preferred.					
American Ice.	28	28	27	27	
Do preferred.	91	91	91	91	
Baltimore & Ohio.	102¾	103	102¾	103	200
Do preferred.	96½	96½	96½	96½	
Brooklyn R. T.	67¾	68¼	67¾	68¼	7700
Chicago Gt. W.	22¾	23	22¾	23	5700
Chicago Mil. & St. P.	169¾	169¾	169¾	169¾	600
C., C., C. & St. L.	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾	200
Ches. & Ohio.	46	46¼	45¾	45¾	2200
Chicago & Alton.	34½	34¾	34½	34¾	1200
Do preferred.					100
C., I. & L.	82	82	82	82	1000
Do preferred.					
Chicago Ind.	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	500
Consolidated Gas.	203	203	203	203	100
Del., Lack. & Western.	275	275	273½	273½	200
Del. & Hudson.	171	171	170	170	1000
Erie.	39¾	40	39¾	39¾	63000
Do 1st pfd.	73¾	73¾	73¾	73¾	13100
Do 2d pfd.	58¾	58¾	58¾	58¾	13200
Gen. Electric.	176	176	176	176	100
Glucose Sugar.	41¾	45¼	41¾	45¼	5700
Do preferred.					
Illinois Central.	138	138	137	137	4900
Iowa Central.	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	200
Do preferred.	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾	200
International Paper.	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾	1700
Do preferred.	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾	200
Lake Erie & West.	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	1000
Do preferred.	73¾	73¾	73¾	73¾	1000
Louis. & Nash.	144¾	145¼	144¾	145¼	7000
Manhattan.	167¾	168¾	167¾	168¾	15800
Metropolitan.	167¾	168¾	167¾	168¾	2100
Mexican Central.	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	100
Mex. N. A. T. pfd.	31	31	31	31	3700
Metropolitan.	116	116	116	116	2100
Mexican Central.	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	100
Nor. & West.	54¾	55¼	54¾	55¼	4100
Do preferred.					
National Biscuit.	44¾	44¾	43¾	43¾	700
Do preferred.					
N. Y. Central.	165¾	167¾	164¾	167¾	13200
N. J. Central.	197	197	195	195	300
N. O. & W.	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	200
Norfolk & West.	54¾	54¾	54¾	54¾	1000
Do preferred.	90	90	90	90	4100
Omaha.					
P. C. C. & St. L.	101¾	101¾	100¾	101¾	3000
Do pfd.	101¾	101¾	101¾	101¾	1000
Pullman.	218	218	218	218	200
Pressed Steel Car.	43	43	39	39	700
Do preferred.	89	89	89	89	200
Pennsylvania.	147¾	148¼	147¾	148¼	14900
Do preferred.					
P. C. C. & St. L.	85	85	85	85	
Do preferred.					
Reading.	54¾	55¼	54¾	55¼	50200
Do 1st pfd.	81¾	82	81¾	82	2700
Do 2d pfd.	71¾	72	71¾	72	1600
Rock Island.	154¾	154¾	154¾	154¾	2200
Republic Iron.	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	100
Do preferred.	85¾	85¾	85¾	85¾	200
Southern Pacific.	64¾	65¼	64¾	65¼	19100
Southern Ry.	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	7400
Do preferred.	91¾	91¾	91¾	91¾	1000
Southern Ry.	12	12¼	12	12¼	22900
Do preferred.					400
St. L. & S. W.	26	26	25	25	700
Do preferred.	58	58	58	58	1000
Tenn Coal & Iron.	67¾	68¼	67¾	68¼	1900
Texas & Pacific.	38¾	39¼	38¾	39¼	100
T., St. L. & K. W.					
Do preferred.					
U. S. Steel.	42¾	42¾	41¾	41¾	56200
Do preferred.	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾	21300
Union Pacific.	101¾	101¾	101¾	101¾	58700
Do preferred.	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾	1000
U. S. Rubber.	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	100
U. S. Leather.	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	500
Do preferred.	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾	200
Wabash.	22¾	22¾	22¾	22¾	1700
Do preferred.	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾	4100
W. U. Telegraph.	91¾	91¾	91¾	91¾	1100
W. & L. E.	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	100
Do preferred.	48½	48½	48½	48½	200

Total sales, 687,300 shares.

Philadelphia Stocks.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Jan. 14.—The closing bids were as follows:

Penna. R. R.	73¾	Tidewater Steel.	6
Phila. Traction.	97	Cambria Steel Co.	37½
Phila. Gas.	75¾	Elec. Co. of Am.	6¾
Elec. & Peo. Ry.	6¾	Lehigh Nav.	44
Con. Tr., N. J.	67¼	Alkali	5-16
Con. L. Storage.	23¼	Asphalt	3
Storage Battery.	20	Pa. Salt Manufg. Co.	4
Do preferred.	60	Lehigh Valley.	57½
Phila. Electric.	4¾	Nuttall Co.	87
United Gas Impt.	115¾	Powder	9

Pittsburgh Stocks at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Messrs. DeHaven & Townsend, brokers, Philadelphia, furnish the following report of the

News From the Mines

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The drop in the price of copper has not affected mining for the metal in California, within the correspondence of American Mining News. The copper deposits in the state are in rock in gold and silver, which are obtained as by-products, that the base metal is worked exclusively there, yields. Similar conditions attach to the auriferous ores of Arizona, Montana and Utah.

Preparations for the season's run on the Sacramento, in Trinity county, Cal., are about completed. An eight-foot belt of pennyrile ore has been opened in a 40-foot shaft of the Yealpon, on Eagle hill, near Redding. Assays show $31 in copper and gold.

A tunnel is being driven to drain a 1,000-foot channel into the Trasher-Eastern hill in Eastern Oregon. It will tap 12 known quartz bodies at a depth of 2,000 feet.

Cathedral copper property, of the San Luis Consolidated, near Denver, Col. The Cash Company is working 50 tons of ore daily and shipping 250 tons a month. The deposits are believed to be parts of a great ledge traceable through many miles. The general average of the ore is from 12 to 14 per cent.

The tunnel of the tunnel of the Ella McKinley group, near Idaho Springs, Col., shows 10 feet of ore, the ore averaging $15 per ton gold and silver, to the foot. This property is largely owned in Cincinnati.

Systematic production, silver and prospects are in operation in four districts adjacent to Mercur, Utah. Over 100 men are employed and the monthly payrolls amount to $30,000.

The Hansen, in Madison county, Montana, marketed $107,000 of ore last year. The large amount of profit is due to several economies. The cost of mining was 2½ and the shipping ore runs from 5 to 12 per cent lead and one to four ounces gold.

The Horseshoe Mining Company, operating in Lawrence county, S. D., has contracted to ship 1,000 tons of ore daily for six months to the smelter at Omaha.

Miners and producers of Colorado, Utah and Idaho are to meet in Denver this week to protest against the proposed increase of 10 per cent in freight rates. It is expected $15 per cent. Copper sold at 16⅝. Pig iron exchange is 55.13½; Berlin, 20.45.

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Americans Were Narrow

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Commercial Advertiser's London financial report says:

The stock market today was brisk and cheerful, especially at the close, on reports that negotiations looking toward peace in South Africa are in progress. Kaffirs were strong on expectations of improved dividends. American stocks were narrow and uninteresting, although there was good Dutch buying of Baltimore & Ohio and Chesapeake & Ohio, while New York bointed Union Pacific conversions were 4½. Wm Tintos recovered from early 2½ to one point on the same cause. Rio Tintos were 2 higher on the report that the output is expected at 1½ per cent. Copper sold at 16⅝. Pig iron exchange is 55.13½; Berlin, 20.45.

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Market for Pittsburgh securities on the Philadelphia stock exchange:

STOCKS	Last.	Low.	High.	Bid.	Ask.
Marsden	4	3¾	4	3¾	
Philadelphia Co.	50½	49¾	51	49¾	50
Total sales—Marsden, 100; Philadelphia Company, 200.					

London Closing Stocks.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Stocks closed:

Con. for money.	93½	Norfolk & West.	27¾
Con. for account.	93¾	Ontario & West.	21¾
Anaconda.	6⅜	Pennsylvania.	94¾
Atchison.	73¾	Rand Mines.	5⅜
Do preferred.	96¾	Reading.	25¾
B. & O.	103½	Do 1st pfd.	81¾
Ches. & Ohio.	45¾	Do 2d pfd.	71¾
Chicago Gt. W.	22¾	Southern Ry.	29¾
Chicago Mil. & St. P.	169¾	Do preferred.	91¾
C., M. & St. P.	169¾	Union Pacific.	101¾
Do preferred.	193	Do preferred.	93¾
Den. & Rio Grande.	36¾	U. S. Steel.	42¾
Do preferred.	91	Do preferred.	93¾
Erie.	39¾	Wabash.	22¾
Do 1st pfd.	73¾	Do preferred.	41¾
Do 2d pfd.	58¾	Wisconsin Central.	18¾
Illinois Central.	137	Wheeling.	19¾
Lake Shore.	195	Ontario & West.	21¾
Louis. & Nash.	144¾	Spanish 4s.	71¾
Mexican Central.	20¾	Atchison.	73¾
N. Y. Central.	167¾	Do preferred.	96¾

Bar silver quiet at 26⅝d per ounce. Money, 2@2½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills, 3 per cent, and for three months' bills, 2 15-16 per cent.

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—Stocks closed:

Atchison.	73¾	Am. Sugar.	117¾
Do preferred.	96¾	Am. To. & Tel.	92
Boston & Albany.	261	Boston & Maine.	190
Boston & Maine.	190	B. K. G. & Coke.	6
Boston Elevated.	167	Dominion Coal.	73¾
N. Y., N. H. & H.	212½	Do preferred.	115
Old Colony.	210	U. S. Steel.	41¾
Mexican Central.	20	Do preferred.	93¾

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Butter easy; creameries, 23@27c; dairies, 24@26c. Cheese steady, 12@12½c. Eggs firm, 29c.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Butter, receipts, 6,425 packages; steady; state dairy, 24@27½c; creamery, 27@27½c; June creamery, 24@26c; factory, 23@24c; imitation creamery, 23@25c. Cheese firm; fresh made, 12@12½c. Eggs firm; fresh marks, 30c. Receipts, 7,000 packages; 30c to southern prices; 29c to western; 28c to arrive.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 14.—Butter steady; fancy western creamery, 26c; no sales; prints, 27c. Eggs firm; fresh marks, 30c. No western. Cheese firm; unchanged prices.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 14.—Butter steady; creamery, 24@27c; fancy, 23@24c; imitation creamery, 22@23c; fancy, 21@22c; ladle, 19@20c; store packed, 17@18c. Eggs firm; fresh marks, 29c; no western. Cheese firm; unchanged prices.

Earnings and Reports.

Earnings of Grand Trunk the first week of January decreased $27,462.

Pittsburgh & Western for the fourth week in December earned $17,400, an increase of $2,347.

Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh earned $94,473, a decrease of $750.04 for the first week of the year.

The gross earnings of 58 roads for the first week in January show an average net increase of 10.61 per cent.

Net earnings of the General Electric Company for December exceed the $1,000,000 mark, and have never been reached before. The total for the year 1901 will be announced that figure.

At the annual meeting of the Philadelphia, Wilmington & Baltimore Railroad Company an increase of the capital stock from $13,330,200 to $19,000,200 was authorized.

The annual report of the Western New York & Pennsylvania Railroad Company shows gross earnings to the amount of $4,402,334, an increase of $746,696. The net income was $936,211, a decrease of $107,402.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $179,974,360; gold, $100,674,134; silver dollars, $11,650,815; total receipts from internal revenue for the month, $27,000,000; total customs receipts, $7,000,000; treasury notes of 1890, $187,000; national bank notes, $11,650,815; total receipts from customs, $31,382,326; total receipts from sources, $20,000,000; total receipts this month, $70,000,000; total receipts since June 30, 1901, $290,000,000; total expenditures this month, $18,000,000; total expenditures since June 30, 1901, $207,000,000; deposits to national banks, $10,150,000.

Boston Copper Mining Stocks.

A. S. Mackie & Co., 328 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, furnish the following closing bids of copper and mining stocks in Boston:

Adventure.	8	Michigan.	10
Allouez.	45	Mohawk.	57½
Amalgamated.	67¾	Old Dominion.	29¾
Arcadian.	17¾	Osceola.	85
Atlantic.	25	Parrott.	23¾
Bingham.	20

Local Stocks Less Active and Weakness in Leaders Continued

STEEL SHARES STILL SHOWED SMALL LOSSES

Fire Proofing Issues Were Also Quite Dull at Lower Prices.

LUSTRE MINING ADVANCED

Ice Common Was Strong and Higher. A. W. Glass Was Quiet and Unchanged—Coalers Were Less Active—Electric Seconds Broke.

The market on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday was less active and the recent weakness continued in most of the leaders, resulting in declines of more or less importance. The Steel shares all made losses, but were not very active. Crucible common, which passed Monday without a trade of any kind, sold about 130 shares yesterday. It opened at 23¼ and broke to 23. Just at the close 23¼ was paid for 100 shares, which seemed to fill the order and left the stock ¼ lower than the sales of last week. The preferred sold 630 shares and finished ¼ lower at 85¼. United States Steel common opened at 42, advanced ½ and broke at the close to 41½, a loss of ½ for the day. The preferred sold only 130 shares and closed dull and heavy at 93½, a loss of ¼. There was no enthusiasm in any of the trading in these shares, and they occupied very little of the brokers' attention. National Fire Proofing issues were also quite dull and neglected. The common on sales of 400 shares declined ¼ to 40 and the preferred lost ⅜ at 47 on sales of less than 500 shares. American Window Glass common was unsettled and dull, only 295 shares selling, the stock closing unchanged at 50¼. The preferred went up ¼ to 91 for 12 shares. The public seems at a loss what to do in these issues until there is something final reached about the window glass situation. In the Coal group there was less activity than of recent days. Pittsburgh common sold 850 shares and closed about steady and unchanged at 25⅝. The preferred sold a little over 100 shares and also finished unchanged at 92½. Westinghouse Electric seconds were dull and weak and after the opening at 87 broke to 86, then rallied ½ and finally closed at 85 for 30 shares, 228 all told selling. The loss for the day was 1½. At the close, however, 85½ was bid, with offers at 85¾. Two 100-share blocks of Westinghouse Airbrake went at 176, the last price, and 50 Switch and Signal common went at 76, a loss of $1. Consolidated Ice common displayed considerable strength and advanced ¾ to 14¼, more being wanted. Luster Mining was stronger than it has been in years, and 50 shares sold at 13, an advance of ⅜, and the highest price since 1898. There are bulls who say the stock is going to 30. Certainly the stockholders have been patient. For years experts have said the property was a splendid one, but there has been the greatest trouble to find a process that would work the ores successfully. Some peculiar characteristic made it almost impossible to extract the gold. Within the last year machinery was placed in the mines under a guarantee that it would work successfully and satisfactorily. Now the reports are that this machinery has been far more efficient than was claimed for it, and the ore is made to flux now as perfectly as the softest gray iron, whereas it has been heretofore impossible to flux it at all. So the stockholders are again cheerful and believe their long wait will be rewarded with a golden stream to their pockets. In the remaining sales there was not a great deal of interest. In the quotations Pittsburgh stock exchange seats advanced $300 to $5,000 bid. Anchor Savings bank $1 to $178 bid. Bank of Secured Savings 1½ to 60 bid, and Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad $1 to $120 bid, all being new high records.

PITTSBURGH FEATURES.

Bank exchanges gained $1,411,983 54.

Total sales Pittsburgh stock exchange, 7,085 shares and $13,000 bonds.

Lustre Mining was strong at 13, a gain of ⅜.

Westinghouse Electric seconds broke 1½ to 85.

200 Westinghouse Airbrake sold at 176.

Window Glass closed unchanged at 50¼.

Ice common was strong at 14¼. Gain ⅜.

Crucible Steel closed at 23¼ and the preferred at 85¼.

United States Steel closed at 41⅞ and the preferred at 93½.

Fire Proofing issues declined.

Pittsburgh Coal was steady and unchanged.

Bonds were dull but firm.

Financial Drift.

Chartiers Trust offered at the last call at 175.

At noon 23 was bid for 25 Crucible Steel common.

Barbour bought 250 Crucible Steel common at the last call.

Sproul & Co. sold 200 Fire Proofing common at the last call.

At the last call Lawrence and Wettengel bought ice common.

A. E. Masten offered $16,000 Empire Coal 5s after the first call at 93.

H. J. Lotz bought $3,000 Sharon Steel bonds at the first call from Marlin.

Austin offered 10 Union Switch & Signal preferred at 93 at the last call.

Sproul & Co. bought 50 American Trust Company at noon from Hill & Co.

N. W. Stevenson sold 100 American Window Glass common at the first call.

R. C. Hall bought 10 Real Estate Trust at the first call from Robinson Bros.

Hoag sold 25 Equitable Trust Company to A. J. Lawrence at the first call at 176.

Whitney & Stephenson bid 110 for 500 Central District Printing & Telegraph stock.

At the last call A. J. Lawrence bought 650 River Coal common; Barker and Marlin sold.

McFarlane bought 10 Tradesmens National bank from Darr, Luke & Moore at the second call.

After the second call Robinson Bros. sold 100 Amalgamated Copper to R. C. Hall at 68¼.

At the first call Hill & Co. sold $4,000 Southern Traction 5s at 107½; E. Fink and Barbour bought.

At the last call H. J. Lotz bought 350 United States Steel common and Robinson Bros. sold 400.

At the second session Robinson Bros. sold 118 Crucible Steel preferred; Miller and Stoney bought.

After the first call Crawford & Eberman sold 125 United States Steel common to Morris & Brown.

Carothers & Co. bought $5,000 Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville 5s at the first call from Sproul & Co.

H. M. Long offered $10,000 Empire Coal Company 5s at the first call at 95; Holmes offered them at 94.

At noon Crawford & Eberman sold 200 American Window Glass common; R. C. Hall bought 250 and Masten 100.

Hill & Co. sold 70 Federal National bank at the first call at 127; Doty & Sutton bought 45 and Hoag the remainder.

Carothers & Co. bought 100 Allegheny Valley railroad preferred before the second call from Holmes; on call they got 100 more from E. Schmidt.

N. Holmes & Sons are presenting their friends and acquaintances with a copy of the "Hand Book of Railroad Securities," a desirable authority on such works.

Miller sold 328 Westinghouse Electric seconds at the first call to Sproul; Miller then bought 200 Crucible Steel preferred and sold 156 American Window Glass common.

At the first call Preston, Watt & Schoyer sold 100 Westinghouse Airbrake to Sproul & Co. at 176; at the second call Holmes sold them 100 more at the same price.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Standard Plate Glass Company for the purpose of electing directors to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at Butler January 21.

Robinson Bros. bought 500 River Coal common at the first call at 13¼; Miller and Barbour each sold 200 and Hoag 100; after the call they got 100 more from Hoag at the same price.

The following officers have been elected by the City Trust Company: James D. Callery, president; John C. Reilly, vice president; John W. Taylor, treasurer and Joshua S. Foster, secretary.

James W. Scully has transferred his membership in the Pittsburgh stock exchange, contingent upon the application of W. J. Black; Mr. Black was recently a director of the Consolidated stock and produce exchange.

John B. Barbour, Jr., made the first purchase of the day, getting 100 shares of Pittsburgh Coal common from Sproul & Co.; then he sold 10 and afterward got 50 from Darr, Luke & Moore; all told the last named sold 200 shares at this call.

The stockholders of the Peoples Natural Gas & Pipeage Company elected directors as follows: Thomas McKnight, Allegheny; James T. Arnold, E. H. Myers, Fred Gwinner, J. Fisher, W. J. Langfitt, G. W. Crawford and R. V. Pitcairn.

The stockholders of the Suburban Rapid Transit Street Railway Company have approved of the lease of the road to the Philadelphia Company. The old board of directors, consisting of E. V. Hays, George C. Moore, R. B. Colt, A. E. Braun and H. W. Rossell, was re-elected.

It is expected the consolidation of all the San Francisco street railways will be announced shortly. Brown Bros. have obtained options on all the principal street railways of that city and Eastern experts are looking into the properties to determine whether the firm will supply funds for the consolidation.

Railway Earnings.

A comparison of the earnings and expenses of the Pittsburgh Railways for the month of November, 1901, and for eleven months ending November 30, 1901, with the same periods of 1900, shows:

	November, 1901.	11 Mo., 1901.
Gross earnings, Inc.	$31,677	Inc. $284,702
Expenses, Dec.	12,959	Dec. 31,417
Net earnings, Inc.	44,636	Inc. $315,209

THE PITTSBURGH STOCK EXCHANGE RECORD.

SALES AND QUOTATIONS. TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 1902.

The public sales in detail were:

First Call.

100 Pgh. Coal com. ... 25¼
10 Pgh. Coal com. ... 25⅛
50 Pgh. Coal com. ... 25⅜
50 Pgh. Coal com. ... 25⅝
100 Pgh. Coal com. ... 25¼
50 N. F. Prod. pfd. ... 47½
50 N. F. Prod. pfd. ... 47½
50 N. F. Prod. pfd. ... 47½
15 Real Estate Trust ... 249½
20 West. Elec. 2ds ... 87
125 West. Elec. 2ds ... 86
50 Crucible Steel pfd. ... 85¼
60 Crucible Steel pfd. ... 85½
50 Crucible Steel pfd. ... 85¼
40 Crucible Steel pfd. ... 85⅛
10 Crucible Steel pfd. ... 85¼
100 A. W. Glass com. ... 50
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25 A. W. Glass com. ... 50
50 A. W. Glass com. ... 50
100 West. Airbrake ... 176
20 Pgh. Coal pfd. ... 92½
45 Federal Nat. Bk. ... 127
25 Federal Nat. Bk. ... 127
20 U. S. Steel pfd. ... 93½
$3,000 Allegheny Val. 5s ... 100
50 U. S. Steel com. ... 42
25 U. S. Steel com. ... 42⅛
$3,000 Southern Tr. 5s ... 107½
$1,000 Pgh. Coal 5s ... 102½
25 Equitable Trust ... 176
200 M. R. Coal com. ... 13½
200 M. R. Coal com. ... 13⅝
$5,000 P., McK. & C. 5s ... 97½

After Call.

15 A. W. Glass com. ... 50
100 M. R. Coal com. ... 13¾
The total sales were 7,085 shares of stock, $13,000 bonds, final quotations Tuesday, 13,500 shares of stock, $2,000 bonds and 7 warrants; total same day last year, 12,261 shares of stock and $14,000 bonds.

Second Call.

100 A. V. R. R. pfd. ... 87

Second Call.

50 Crucible Steel com. ... 23¾
25 Crucible Steel com. ... 23⅞
11 Crucible Steel com. ... 23
10 Tradesmens N. Bk. ... 195
10 M. R. Coal com. ... 13
100 A. W. Glass com. ... 50¼
100 A. W. Glass com. ... 50
50 A. W. Glass com. ... 50
50 A. W. Glass com. ... 50
25 Marsden com. ... 4
50 U. S. Steel com. ... 42⅛
50 U. S. Steel com. ... 42⅜
100 Crucible Steel pfd. ... 85¼
18 Crucible Steel com. ... 23¾
100 A. V. R. R. pfd. ... 87
50 West. Elec. 2ds ... 86½
50 U. S. & R. com. ... 16
50 Pgh. Coal com. ... 25⅝
50 American Trust ... 124

After Call.

100 West. Airbrake ... 176
100 U. S. Steel com. ... 42⅝
100 Pgh. Coal com. ... 25⅞
100 Amal. Copper ... 68⅝
20 Luster Mining ... 13
50 Crucible Steel pfd. ... 85¾

Before Call.

150 Crucible Steel pfd. ... 85⅝
100 Crucible Steel pfd. ... 85½
50 N. F. Proof. com. ... 40¼
100 N. F. Proof. com. ... 40⅜
100 A. W. Glass com. ... 50
20 Luster Mining ... 12
20 N. F. Proof. pfd. ... 47½

*And interest.

Closing bids and offers at the day's three calls were:

STOCKS.	1st Call. Bid.	1st Call. Ask.	2d Call. Bid.	2d Call. Ask.	3d Call. Bid.	3d Call. Ask.
Ex. Seat	....	....	....	....	3000	....
STOCKS						
Pgh. Coal	....	....	....	....	....	....
Anchor Savs.	....	....	176	200	....	....
Bk. of Pgh.	....	145	....	....	....	....
Duquesne	....	....	....	....	275	....
Farms. Dr. N.	....	600	....	....	....	....
Mer. & Man.	....	142	....	....	....	....
N. B. W. Pa.	197	....	....	....	197	....
P. N. B.	....	....	....	480	....	....
Trust Cos.						
Union Trust	....	....	710	730	....	....
Equitable	....	176	180	....	176	180
Real Estate	....	124	....	....	....	250
Guarantee	....	125	....	....	....	125
Ally Bds.						
B. & Sav.	68½	....	69	....	69	....
D. S. F. & T.	220	....	230	....	230	....
Ally. Trust	136	....	....	....	....	....
Mining						
Luster	12	....	12½	15	....	14
Railroads						
A. V. pfd.	26½	....	....	....	26½	27¼
P. & L. E.	....	....	....	300	....	....
P. W. & K.	129	....	129	....	129	....
Electric						
Westing 2ds.	86¼	86⅝	86¼	....	85½	85⅝
Miscel.						
A. W. Glass	50	50¼	50	50¼	50¼	50½
Chas. Water.	45	....	....	....	45	....
Con. Ice	13½	....	13½	14	14¼	15
Do pfd.	37	....	37	39	37¾	38⅝
C. D. & P. T.	....	....	110	....	110	....
Consol. Ice	....	....	....	....	....	....
Crucible	23¼	....	23¼	....	23¼	....
Do pfd.	85¼	....	85¼	....	85¼	....
Fed. Steel	71	....	....	....	....	....
Do pfd.	93	....	....	....	....	....
Fire Proofing	....	....	....	....	....	....
Do pfd.	....	....	....	....	....	....
Lake Fish	....	....	....	....	....	....
Do pfd.	....	....	....	....	....	....
Nat. Carbon	....	....	....	....	....	....
Do pfd.	....	....	....	....	....	....
Nat. Glass	....	....	....	....	....	....
Do pfd.	....	....	....	....	....	....
Nat. Steel	....	....	....	....	....	....
Do pfd.	....	....	....	....	....	....
Nat. Tube	....	....	....	....	....	....
Do pfd.	....	....	....	....	....	....
Penn. Salt	....	....	....	....	....	....
Pressed Steel	....	....	....	....	....	....
Do pfd.	....	....	....	....	....	....
Standard Mill	....	....	....	....	....	....
Do pfd.	....	....	....	....	....	....
Standard Sew.	....	....	....	....	....	....
Do pfd.	....	....	....	....	....	....
U. S. Steel	41⅞	....	41⅞	....	41⅞	....
Do pfd.	93½	....	93½	....	93½	....
Wash. Coal	....	....	....	....	....	....
Westing.	85	....	85	....	85	....
Do pfd.	....	....	....	....	....	....
Bonds						
Am. Tube 5s	....	....	....	....	....	....
Cons. Gas 5s	....	....	....	....	....	....
M. St. Ry. 5s	....	....	....	....	....	....
Misc.						
Con. Gas 5s	....	....	116	....	....	....
M. T. Co.	....	....	....	....	....	....
P. Elec. 4s	110⅜	....	....	....	....	....
S. C. Wat. 6s	....	....	....	....	....	....

*Not recorded.

STOCKS.	1st Call. Bid.	1st Call. Ask.	2d Call. Bid.	2d Call. Ask.	3d Call. Bid.	3d Call. Ask.
Crue. Steel	23	23½	23⅛	23½	....	....
Do pfd.	85⅜	85¾	85¼	85½	85¼	85⅝
M. R. Coal	13⅜	13⅝	13⅛	13½	13	13⅜
Do pfd.	44	44½	44	44½	44½	44⅝
Marsden com	3¾	4¼	3¾	4	4	4
Mon. Water	....	....	....	....	40½	41½
P. R. & L. E.	....	....	....	....	26	....
Pgh. Brew.	25½	26½	25½	25⅞	25½	26½
Do pfd.	44⅝	45	44⅝	44⅞	44½	44⅝
Pgh. Coal	25⅛	25⅜	25⅛	25⅜	25⅛	25⅜
Do pfd.	92½	92⅝	92½	92⅝	92½	92⅝
P. Fi. Glass	121	....	121½	122	....	122
P. S. & F.	....	....	6	6	6	6
Do pfd.	....	....	....	....	....	....
Phila. Co.	....	....	46½	48¾	46½	46¾
Stan. P. Glass	....	....	....	....	135	....
U. S. & R.	....	....	....	....	70½	....
Do pfd.	....	....	....	....	92½	....
W. Airbrake	175½	....	175½	176½	175	176
W. Elec.	42¾	43	42¾	43	42¾	43
Do pfd.	86	89½	86	87¾	86	89
W. Glass	40¼	40¾	40	40¾	40	40
Do pfd.	47½	47⅝	47¼	47⅜	47	47¼
W. Sheet	12¾	12¾	12¾	13	12¾	12¾
Do pfd.	38½	39	38½	39	38½	39
Nat. Glass	....	17½	....	....	15	17½
BONDS.						
Cent. Pass.	....	....	....	....	....	....
M. St. Ry. 5s	....	....	....	....	....	116¼
Miscel.						
Con. Gas 5s	....	116	....	....	114¾	114¾
M. T. Co.	....	....	....	....	116¾	....
P. Elec. 4s	110⅜	....	....	....	....	....
S. C. Wat. 6s	....	....	....	....	....	125¾

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PITTSBURGH PRICES FOR FARM PRODUCTS

Eggs Still Very Scarce and Figures Go Higher—Green Peas Arriving.

Hay, Grain and Feed.

The only change made in quotations yesterday was in milfeed, where the market is weakening and prices declined for all grades. Shelled and ear corn remained unchanged, although there was a very low offering of shelled corn on the exchange, which found no sale. There is an undertone of feeling among handlers of grain that prices must go lower, and that it would not take very much weakening to start a material decline. However, at the moment it is not possible to bring stock here at lower figures than are now offering.

Receipts bulletined: Hay, 4 cars; straw, 1 car; oats, 1 car hay and straw, 1 car straw, 1 car rye, 1 car; corn, 2 cars. Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 4 cars hay, 1 car feed, 3 cars corn, 1 car straw; Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad, 4 cars hay, 1 car corn, 1 car oats; Pittsburgh & Western railroad, 2 cars hay; total receipts, 26 cars; receipts Monday, 179 cars, decrease, 64 cars.

Following are the official quotations for hay, milfeed, etc., as corrected daily by the superintendent of the Pittsburgh Grain exchange:

Straw—Oat, $7 50@8 00; wheat, $7 50@8 00; rye, $8 25@8 75.

Hay—Choice timothy, $15 25@15 50; No. 1 do, $14 50@15 00; No. 2 do, $13 00@13 50; No. 1 mixed, $11 75@12 00; No. 1 clover, $11 25@11 75; prairie, $10 00@11 00; packing, $9 00@10 00.

Rye—Milling price, delivered, No. 2 Western, 74@74½c.

Wheat—No. 2 red, winter, 74@75c f. o. b. cars within radius of 50 miles of Pittsburgh.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, shelled, 42@42½c; high mixed, 71@72c; No. 2 mixed, 70@71c; No. 2 yellow ear, 70½@71c; high mixed, 72@73c; No. 2 white, 70½@71c; sample lots, 1c higher.

Oats—No. 2 white, 32½@33c; extra No. 2, 31½@32c; regular, 30½@31c.

Milfeed—Middlings, per ton, No. 2, $22 00@24 00; brown, $22 00@24 00; bran, $21 00@24 00.

Groceries.

The stock demand for refined sugar, together with the slowness of the raw market, caused a decline of 10 points, which this week amounts to ten points off white and five points from yellow, the cut having been made yesterday. Aside from this there were no changes in grocery prices, and the market is generally quiet for the most of year, and, for this reason, wholesalers find no cause in local conditions to make alterations in the price list. It is only when the influence of outside markets is felt that the grocery trade is disturbed, and this is only fairly satisfying, selling being of a regular character from day to day, with few large purchases made by retailers. Local demand for coffee is good, and primal markets are generally steady.

Coffee—Johnson's prices: Fancy spring patents, $4 20@4 30; fancy winter patents, $4 00@4 10; straight winter, $3 60@3 75; bakers' patents, $3 60@3 75; fancy clears, $3 40@3 50; spring straights, $3 40@3 50; winter straights, $3 25@3 40; low grades, $2 40@2 50; rye flour, $3 50@3 60; graham flour, $3 50@3 60; buckwheat flour, $3 50@3 60; Minnesota patents, $4 20@4 30; Minnesota clears, $3 40@3 50; Minnesota straights, $3 25@3 40; Minnesota bakers, $3 25@3 40; Kansas patents, $4 20@4 30; Kansas clears, $3 40@3 50; Kansas straights, $3 25@3 40; Kansas bakers, $3 25@3 40; Kansas rye, $3 50@3 60; Kansas graham, $3 50@3 60; Kansas buckwheat, $3 50@3 60.

Sugar—Standard granulated, 4.65c; fine granulated, 4.75c; 100-lb and 25-lb jute bags, 4.65c; 50 2-lb cartons and 20 5-lb cotton bags, 4.80c; powdered, 4.75c; powdered 4xxxx, 4.80c; cubes, 4.90c; cut loaf, 5.15c.

Rice—No. 1 prime, 4.50c; No. 2 do, 4.25c; No. 3 do, 4.00c; No. 4 do, 3.75c; No. 5 do, 3.50c; No. 6 do, 3.25c. No. 7 yellow, 4.00c; No. 8 do, 3.75c. No. 9 do, 3.50c. Specialties are 5 to 10 cents above New York quotations, which gives rest of prime varieties 4.50@4.75c; fancy head, 5.25@5.50c; Carolina head, 5.75@6.00c; Japan, 4.75@5.00c; Java, 4.75@5.00c; Rangoon, 4.50@4.75c; Patna, 4.50@4.75c; Genuine Carolina head, 5.75@6.00c; Genuine Carolina table, 5.50@5.75c; Genuine Carolina fancy, 5.25@5.50c; Genuine Carolina choice, 5.00@5.25c; Genuine Carolina prime, 4.75@5.00c; Genuine Carolina good, 4.50@4.75c; Genuine Carolina fair, 4.25@4.50c; Genuine Carolina ordinary, 4.00@4.25c.

Spices—Pepper, 15@16c; allspice, 10@11c; cloves, 20@22c; cassia, 10@11c; nutmegs, 65@70c; ginger, African, 10@11c; ginger, Cochin, 12@13c; mace, 75@80c; mixed spices, 15@16c.

Canned Goods.

Since the advance of Monday in canned tomatoes no other changes have occurred, the market being steady but featureless. Corn is moving freely and the demand for peas is fair, but canned fruits are slow, and not moving very rapidly.

Standard peas, 90@95c; extra sifted peas, $1 00@1 05; marrowfat peas, $1 05@1 10; French peas, $1 40@1 50; red cherries, $1 00@1 05; white cherries, $1 00@1 05; raspberries, $1 00@1 05; strawberries, $1 00@1 05; pineapple, $1 00@1 05; Lima beans, $1 00@1 05; succotash, $1 00@1 05; string beans, 90@95c; baked beans, 90@95c; pumpkin, 80@85c; Hubbard squash, $1 00@1 05; marrow squash, $1 00@1 05; Boston squash, $1 00@1 05; California table fruits, $1 75@2 00; California pie fruits, $1 50@1 75; gallon apples, $1 75@2 00; gallon peaches, $2 00@2 50; gallon pears, $2 00@2 50; gallon apricots, $2 50@3 00; gallon greengages, $2 50@3 00; gallon Lombard plums, $2 00@2 50; gallon egg plums, $2 00@2 50; 2-lb Damson plums, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb red cherries, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb white cherries, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb raspberries, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb strawberries, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb gooseberries, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California table peaches, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California pie peaches, $1 25@1 50; 2-lb California pears, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California plums, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California apricots, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California blackberries, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California white cherries, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California raspberries, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California strawberries, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California gooseberries, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California green gages, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California Lombard plums, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California egg plums, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California Damson plums, $1 50@1 75; 2-lb California red cher

DIVORCE TRIAL LIST FINISHED IN NO. 2 COURT

Witnesses Corroborate Wife Who Blamed Her Trouble on Pet Dogs.

MANY CRUELTY STORIES

One Husband Had a Habit of Breaking Up the Furniture—Kindness of a Wife Repaid by Abuse—Twenty-Three Cases on the List.

Judge Elliott Rodgers yesterday held another session of divorce court, and when court adjourned at noon the list was completed. There were 23 cases on the list and but half of them were heard.

The first case on the day's list was that of Mary McCarthy against James McCarthy. A number of witnesses corroborated the story of abuse told by the libellant, who alleged her husband thought more of his dogs than he did of her.

The next case was that of Vinnie L. Walker against John Walker. They were married February 23, 1886, and separated during September, 1900. Mrs. Walker testified that her husband beat and abused her and had a habit of breaking the furniture and that she had to support herself by keeping boarders at Carnegie. The mother of the libellant testified she got tired watching her daughter being abused, while an aunt testified Walker treated his wife as a slave. The libellant's father said Walker was a "chronic kicker."

In the case of John B. Suplit against Adolphine Suplit desertion was charged. They were married January 4, 1893, and separated September 23, 1897. It was testified the husband said because his wife sold beer at McDonald he was afraid of being arrested.

Sophia Nowak seeks a divorce from Constant Nowak on the grounds of cruelty. They were married November 12, 1884, and separated in August, 1899. Nowak is a steel worker. Mrs. Nowak alleged that the husband's abuse began soon after they were married and that things grew worse until July 7, 1899, when they signed an agreement to separate. She says her husband got sick soon after this and sent for her, and she took him home and cared for him. As soon as he became well he commenced to abuse her again. Mrs. Ellen Black, a neighbor, testified that Nowak choked his wife upon one occasion until it was thought she was dead, and when the libellant's child was born her husband compelled her to get up and cook his meals. Other witnesses were called to sustain the statements, which testimony completed the session.

BYERS GUILTY OF MURDER.

Second Degree Verdict Returned as Asked for by District Attorney. Other Criminal Court Cases.

In the criminal court yesterday the jury returned a verdict of murder in the second degree in the case against Amos Byers, alias Amos Johnston, for the killing of William Samson. The murder grew out of trouble arising from a game of five-up in which the two men were engaged at a shanty on Mt. Washington on November 22 last.

In the same court John Neelan was acquitted of a charge of larceny from the person, preferred by Joseph Lewis. Neelan was charged with stealing a watch valued at $15 from the prosecutor while they were engaged in a free-for-all fight some time ago in Fourth avenue.

Frank Jefferson was acquitted of a charge of embezzlement preferred by John Wadt. He was charged with appropriating $50 of the prosecutor's money.

Rudolph Franz and Mary Franz were acquitted of a charge of misdemeanor preferred by James E. Glenn. They were charged with resisting an officer while in performance of his duties.

Joe Rosnice was acquitted of the charges of forgery and false pretense preferred by C. H. Halderman. He was charged with signing the pay check of John Koneak, an employe of the Pressed Steel Car Company.

The following other cases were disposed of: Michael Cornelis, pleaded guilty of misdemeanor preferred by Annie Kellie and sentenced to pay $1 50 per week for a period of four years; Mary Gregoras, acquitted of a charge of larceny by bailee, preferred by Maggie Roseman; George Kendal, larceny from the person, preferred by Thomas Oppenheim, guilty and fined $1 and costs; Bray Harvey, assault and battery, preferred by Joseph C. Trapp, nolle pros granted on payment of the costs by defendant.

DENY SMOKE NUISANCE.

Jones & Laughlins File an Answer to an Equity Suit.

An answer was filed in the equity suit of the United Real Estate & Construction Company against Jones & Laughlins, Ltd., for an injunction to compel the defendants to abate the alleged nuisance of allowing their furnaces to emit smoke and fumes, to the alleged damage of the plaintiff's property near Craft avenue and Niagara street.

Nearly all of the claims made by the plaintiff are denied, and it is set forth that Oakland for many years has not been a desirable residence district and that the furnaces now owned by the defendants and complained of have been in operation for more than 40 years. The statements about the value of the property mentioned in the plaintiff's bill are neither affirmed nor denied, but it is denied the method of operating the defendants' plant has been changed by increasing the percentage of the cheaper grades of ore or forcing the furnaces beyond their normal capacity. It is admitted that since July, 1901, some red ore dust has escaped from the furnaces at times, but it is denied any particles have escaped except ordinary particles of smoke and its ingredients which for years have been coming from chimneys, stacks, locomotives, steamboats and manufacturing plants near the property of the defendants. It is asked that the bill be dismissed.

Doctor Sues for Tuition Fee.

The case of Dr. William J. O'Brien of Philadelphia against Dr. Michael E. O'Brien of Pittsburgh was on trial before Judge P. H. Collier. They are brothers, and the suit was brought to recover $900 claimed by the plaintiff to have been loaned to the defendant to pay his tuition at the West Penn Medical college. The plaintiff told in court that he had loaned the money, but didn't demand a note, thinking his brother would pay as soon as he was able. The defendant claims the plaintiff gave the money to him.

Todays Trial Lists.

Criminal court—Commonwealth vs. Gus C. Leslz, Martha Proskie, W. H. Purdee, Annie Jacobs, Annie Demlash, Bray Harvey, Wm. Franks, Edward Wagner, Clarence Campbell, Al Martin, Dominic Pares, E. E. Byers, L. W. Wells, Pedot Saxaloo, Emma Saxaloo.

Common pleas No. 1—Wallace vs. Pennsylvania Saving Fund & Loan association; Zipper vs. United Traction Company; Allen vs. Suburban Rapid Transit Street Railway Company, city of Pittsburgh vs. McAbeon subschool district, McDonough vs. City of Pittsburgh, Burless vs. West End Traction Company, Sheafer et al. vs. Graham, Costalas vs. Constance.

Common pleas No. 2—Equity trial list.

Common pleas No. 3—Grable vs. Frerickes, Welch vs. Pittsburgh Provision Company; Morris vs. P. & B. Traction Company, Marlien vs. McGregor, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, use, vs. Porter vs. McCrory, Kimbrick vs. City of Allegheny, Eckert vs. same, Keller vs. Jones & Laughlin, Miller vs. Devlinney, Scott vs. McLain.

New Suit Entered.

New suits were entered as follows:

COMMON PLEAS NO. 1.

Plaintiff.	Defendant.	Action.
The Edmundson & Perrine Co.	Frank Mateer et ux.	Rep.
Geo. Villack	Joseph Cunney et al.	Tres.
Antonio Petertius	B. Newton McCormick	Tres.

COMMON PLEAS NO. 2.

John H. Smith	American Clay Manufacturing Co.	Tres.
W. W. McElhaney	Martin Dogual	Aj.
G. Pasquinnelli	Pittsburgh & Morgantown Packet Co.	Ap.
John Connor	Henry Edis	Tres.
Cecelia Deising	Philomena Klaas	Tres.

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BABCOCK OFFERS HIS BILL AGAINST STEEL INDUSTRY

While It Tears Up Metal Schedule, He Says It Does Not Hurt Protection.

HELPED BY SOME MAKERS

He Asserts His Measure Will in No Way Hurt Labor, but Merely Aims to Curb Combines—Dalzell Says Tariff Must Not Be Disturbed.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, 605 Fifteenth St., N. W., WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 14.

Notwithstanding the almost universal sentiment of the country, that congress should not meddle with the tariff, Representative Babcock of Wisconsin introduced in the house today a bill to reduce the tariff duties of the iron and steel schedule of the Dingley bill. In discussing the subject afterward Mr. Babcock said:

"The bill I introduced affects only the iron and steel schedule of the Dingley act. It differs from the one I presented last session in several important features. The former bill was intended to call the attention of congress and the ways and means committee to this schedule generally, but was not in shape to pass without full consideration. This bill, on the other hand, has been drawn with care and attempts to meet present conditions intelligently.

Protection Principle Retained.

"It is an effort to maintain the theory of protection in accordance with the best Republican traditions, and to prevent the party from becoming responsible by nonaction for schedules that have been outgrown by changed conditions and are made use of by combinations to extort unreasonable prices from domestic consumers.

"I have also had the aid of experts from the treasury department in analyzing existing laws and in framing this bill, and believe it is in shape to pass without opening the general tariff question.

"I have placed the heavy products of the furnace on the free list, such as iron and steel in slabs, blooms, loops, beams, girders, joists and all structural iron or steel, boiler and ship plates, steel rails, steel ingots, billets and bars. The steel and iron schedule is very complicated and the placing of these articles on the free list required the readjustment of nearly all of the paragraphs of schedule C.

Aided by Manufacturers.

"After numerous conferences with steel manufacturers, these paragraphs have been amended upon strictly protective lines; that is, each article is given full protection, as compared with the cost of production in other countries, which still leaves a margin in our favor.

"For instance, tin is quoted f. o. b. in England at $8 a box; the price in Pittsburgh is $4. I have reduced the Dingley rates from $1 50 to $1, which would equalize the price and leave the foreigner to pay the cost of transportation and insurance in order to sell tin in this market. It does away in certain paragraphs with the high rates which were necessary a few years ago and brings the schedules into line with the changed conditions.

"I have been especially careful not to reduce a schedule where labor was the greatest part of the cost of the article, and there is not a single item in the bill, whether it provides that the article shall go on the free list or whether it remains on the dutiable list, that will in any way affect labor.

"The whole bill is in line with the Republican protective policy as advocated in the national platforms and by its greatest champion, the late President McKinley. It affords ample and full protection where it is necessary and places on the free list those articles that are produced here cheaper than they can be in foreign countries."

Representative Dalzell said this afternoon he was confident that this congress would neither adopt the Babcock bill nor make any changes in the tariff laws. The country is prosperous and its condition ought not to be disturbed by any meddling with the tariff. This was also the sentiment of every Republican senator when asked about the Babcock bill.

CHARLES W. METZGAR.

QUAY'S BIG DAY'S WORK.

Presents an Avalanche of Petitions from Constituents—Receives Visitors from Idaho.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Senator Quay signalized his return to senatorial duty by introducing in the senate today an avalanche of petitions from his constituents that had accumulated during his absence. They covered a wide scope, but the large majority were in favor of further restriction of immigration, the prohibition of Chinese immigration, for the building of government vessels in government yards, a physical laboratory under the interior department, the prohibition of polygamy, in favor of the eight-hour bill, and for a general law on the subject of marriage and divorce.

Senator Quay introduced the bill authorizing the St. Clair Terminal Railroad Company to construct a bridge across the Monongahela river from lands owned by the St. Clair Steel Company at Clairton station on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad on the west bank of the Monongahela river to a point opposite between Pelbridge station and Patterson station on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad. Work is to commence in one year from date of passage of the act.

Senator Penrose introduced a bill to set aside the verdict of the court-martial against Alvin C. Schum of Lancaster county for deserting from the coast artillery; also bills to correct the military records of Joseph Rankin, George Moltz, Daniel M. Witmyer, Peter Connell and Thomas Bullman; also bills granting pensions to Joseph Nickel, Julia A. Train, Jacob H. Heminger, Nathan Derr, Edward M. Daly, Elizabeth Brooks, John Shank, Laura S. Picking and William S. Derby; also a bill to erect in the Arlington national cemetery a $5,000 monument to the nurses of the civil war; a bill granting leaves of absence and stop leaves 15 per diem employes; also a bill granting a pension of $30 a month to all soldiers and sailors disabled equivalent to the loss of a hand or a foot.

Judge D. W. Standrod, member of the Republican national committee from Idaho, and United States District Attorney R. V. Cozier of the same state, paid a visit to Senator Quay this afternoon, and later paid their respects to Attorney General Knox. They were accompanied by ex-Senator George L. Shoup, who retained as national committeeman a few weeks ago because of poor health. Mr. Shoup is a native of Western Pennsylvania, having been born at Kittanning. Senator Quay introduced the party to the attorney general.

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THE PURCHASE OF SOUTH SIDE LAND FAVORED

Central Board of Education Approves Playground Project.

$15,000 IS APPROPRIATED

After Much Bickering It Was Decided to Set Aside a Part of the Purchase Price and to Have the Property Inspected.

There was a tempest in a teapot at the meeting of the Central board of education last night. It all arose over the proposition to buy the ground at Carson and South Ninth streets, adjoining the South Side high school, for a recreation park and children's playground. The matter came up at three different stages, and it was finally decided to appropriate $15,000 toward the purchase of the property, but not close the deal until a committee examined the ground and reported upon it.

The property in question is owned by C. S. Shannon, who offers it to the board for $80,005. It has a frontage of 172.64 feet in Carson street and runs back to Sarah street.

The petition from the joint committee of Women's clubs on children's playgrounds and vacation schools, was presented, which asked for the purchase of this property. In that connection Miss Beulah Kennard addressed the meeting, stating the need of the South Side for such a park. She said that the Shannon holding was the only available site in that district.

H. W. Sellers brought up the matter with a resolution adding $15,000 to the estimates for the first payment on the property. This provoked a hot discussion, in which references to "jobs" and "underhand deals" were frequently made. The incident was finally closed by the adoption of an amendment which agreed with that of Mr. Sellers' so far as the appropriation was concerned, but asked that a committee be appointed to examine the ground and talk over the matter with the owner before the deal was closed.

The estimates as arranged by the financial committee and previously published were approved with one exception. The committee on physical culture had decided to have only one instead of four instructors. In consequence they asked for $1,500 instead of $6,500. This, with the addition of the $15,000 for the South Side playground, makes the total estimate for the year $861,280.

A communication from the Western Pennsylvania McKinley Monument association asking that the school children be interested in the matter was received and filed. Miss Mary M. Disque was elected a teacher in the South Side high school, and Director Wood, on account of ill health, was given leave of absence until April 1.

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Men's Felt Boots...$1.50 and $2.00 a Pair
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